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The Mayor of Animal Town



HIS HONOR
THE MAYOR



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BE A DETECTIVE! FOLLOW THE CLUES AND

GUESS MY NAME

MY HOUSE HAS AN UPSTAIRS
BUT I LIVE BELOW.

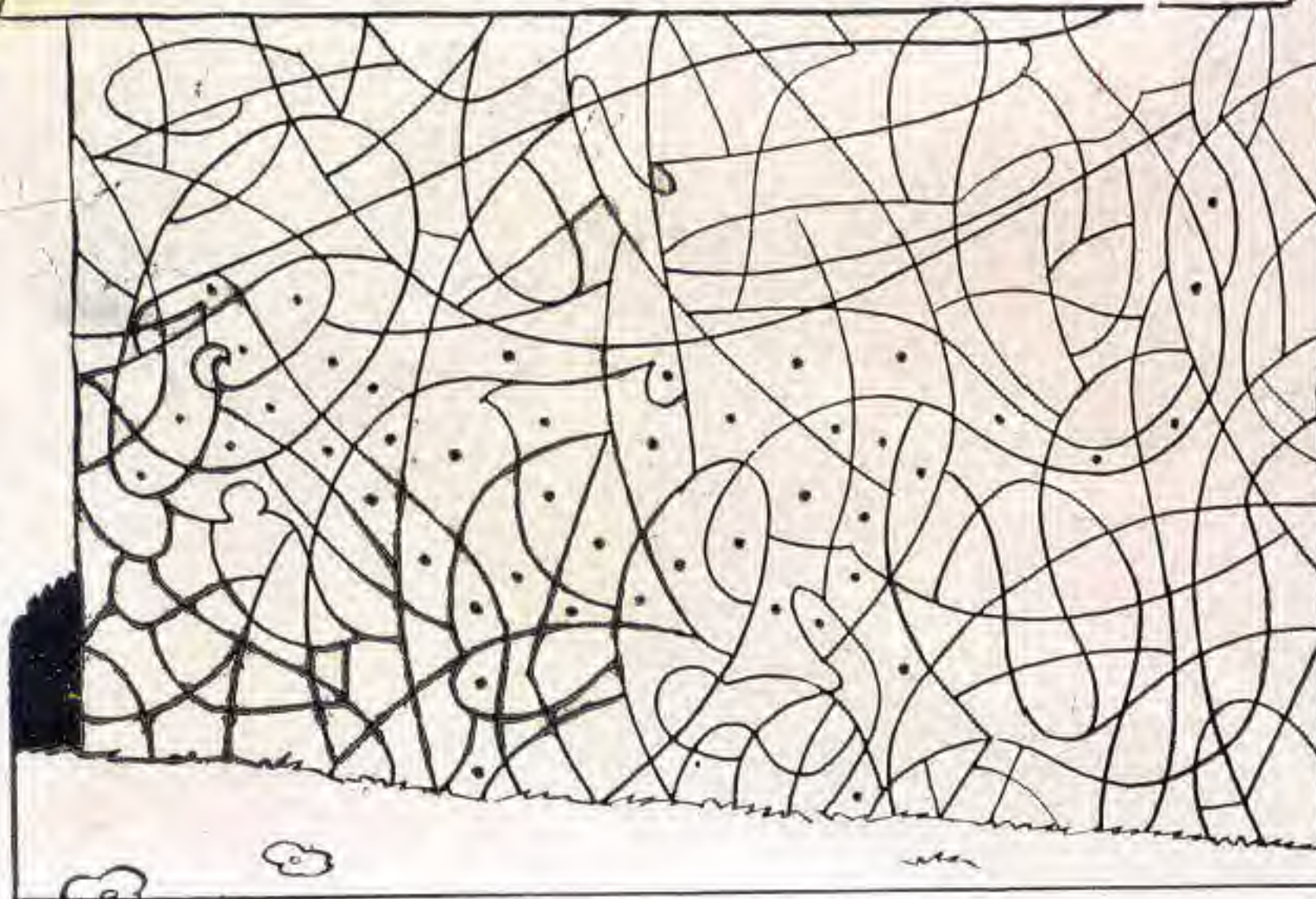


IF FLIES COME TO BOTHER,
I SWISH — AND THEY GO!



I GIVE TO MY OWNER A WONDERFUL DRINK.
MY NAME HAS THREE LETTERS. YOU KNOW IT —
JUST THINK!

NOW, BLACKEN EACH SPACE CONTAINING A DOT,
AND SEE WHO I AM. MY NAME IS A WHAT?

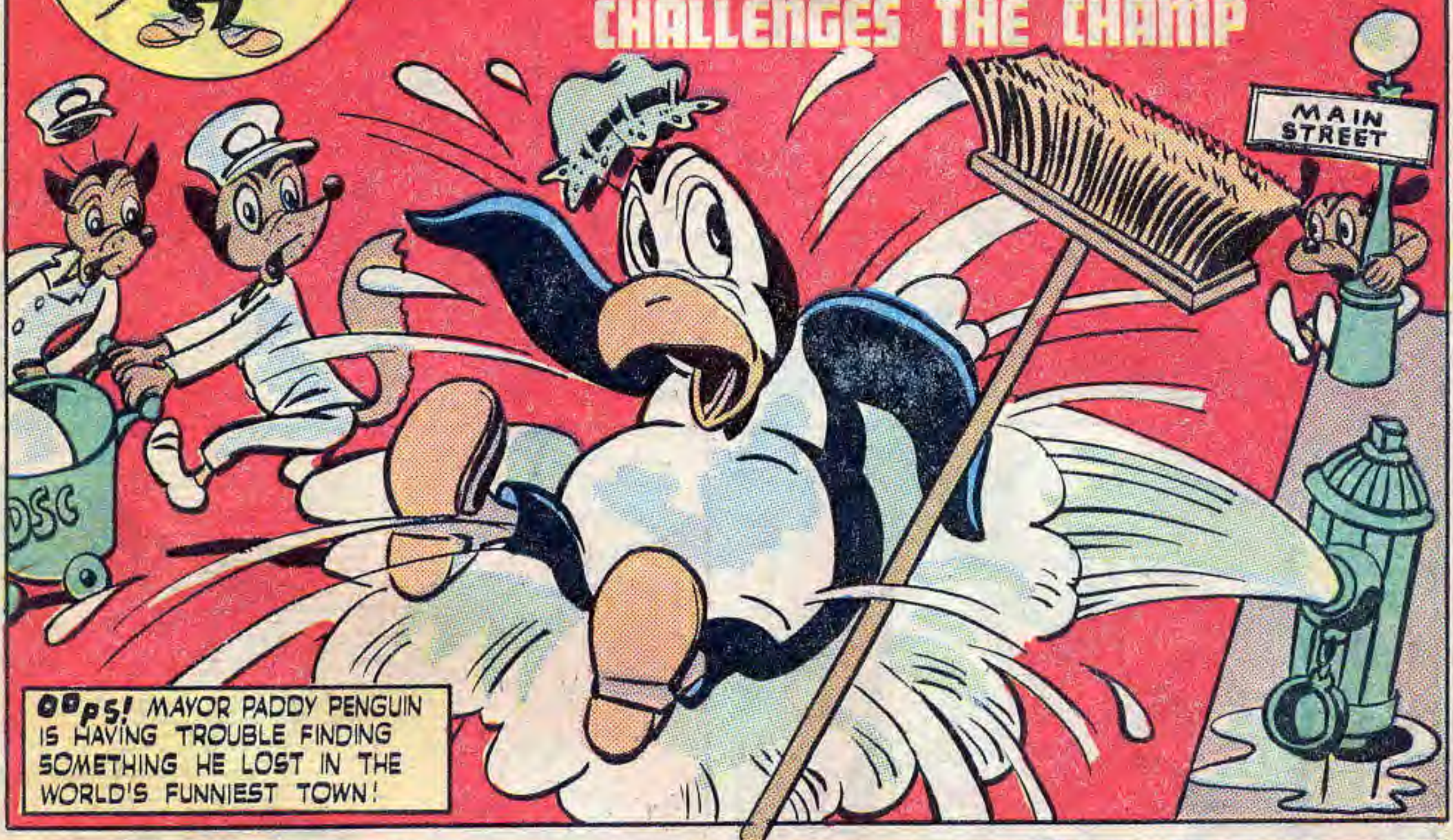




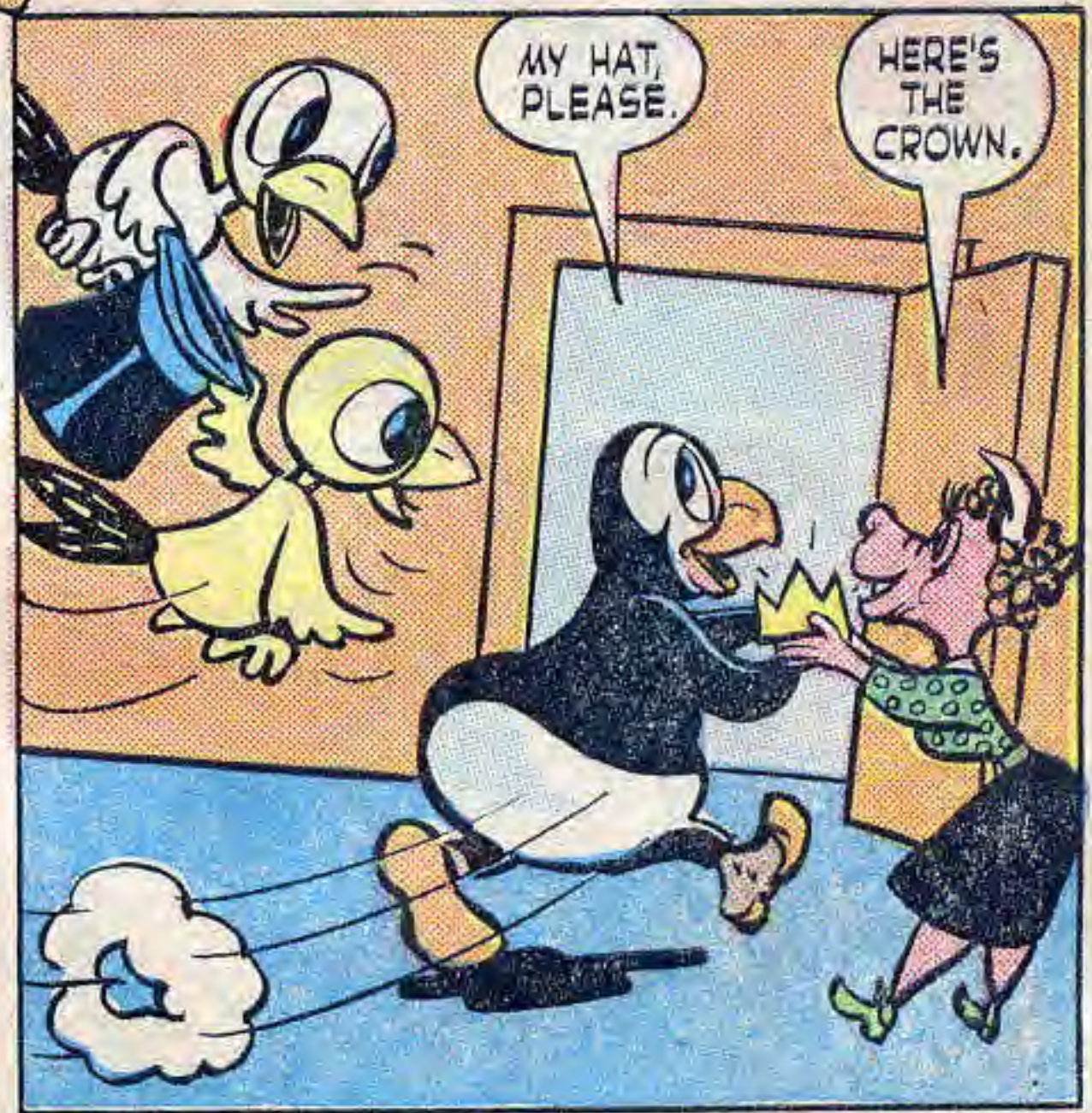
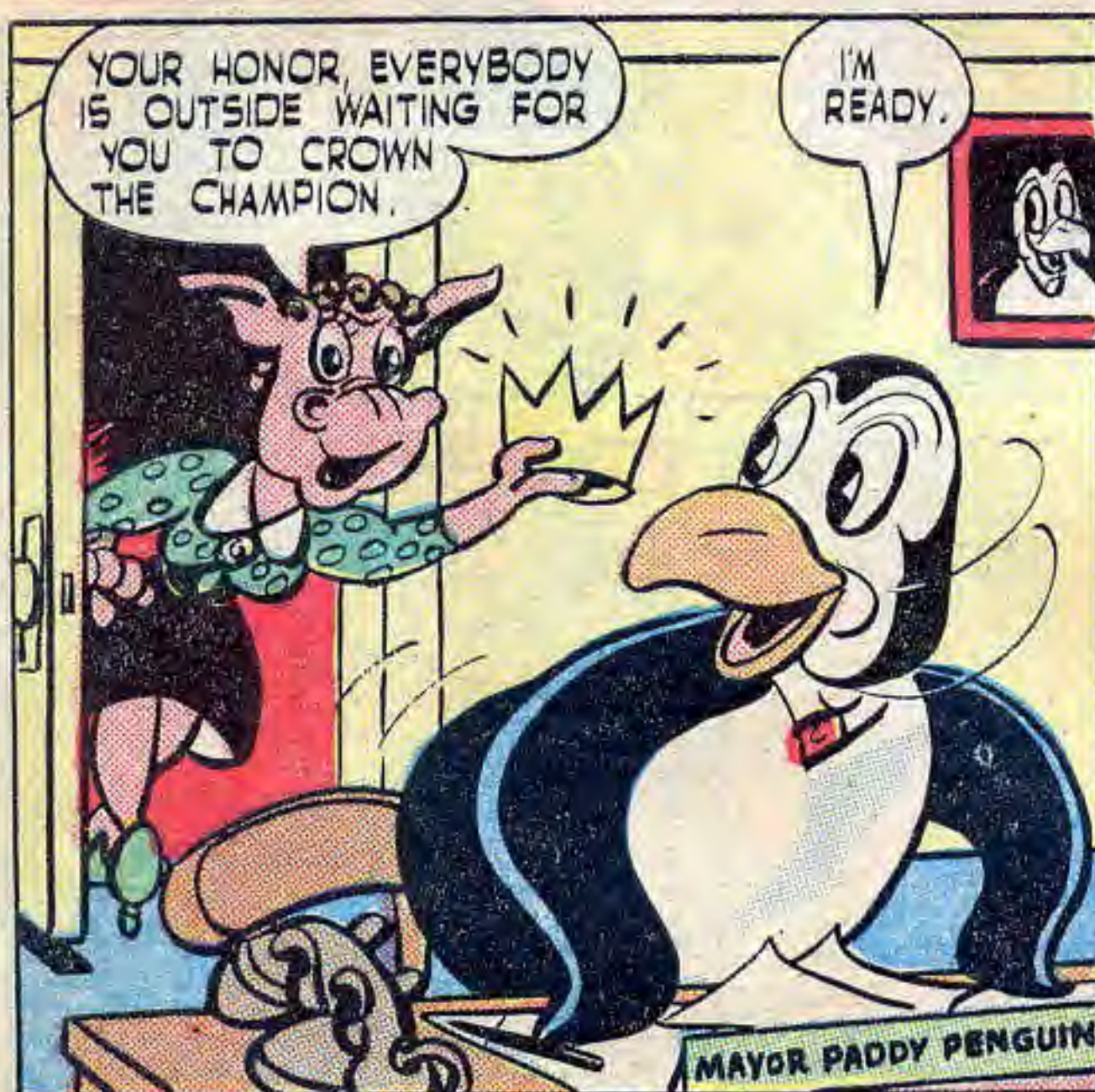
The Mayor of Animal Town

PADDY PENGUIN

CHALLENGES THE CHAMP



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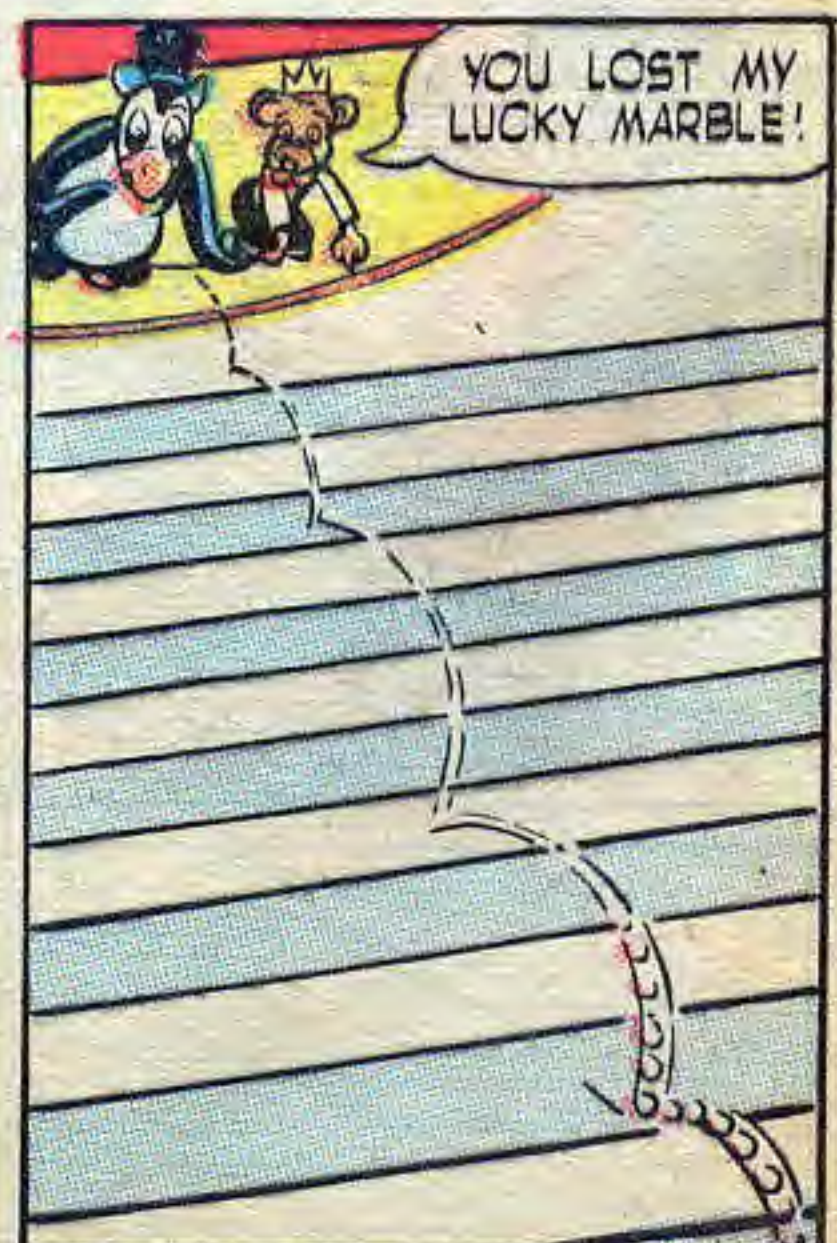
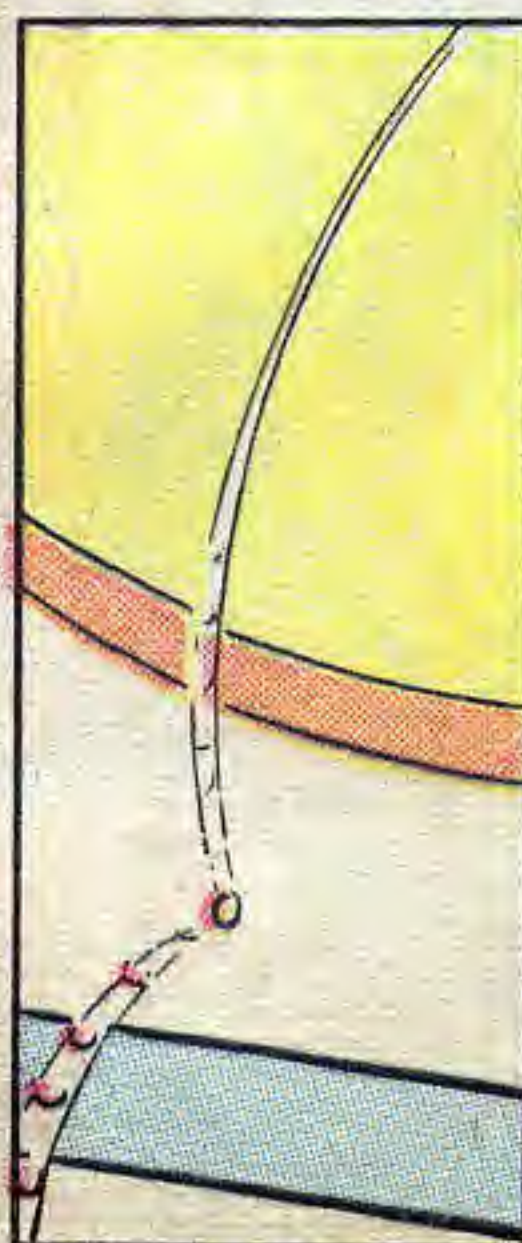
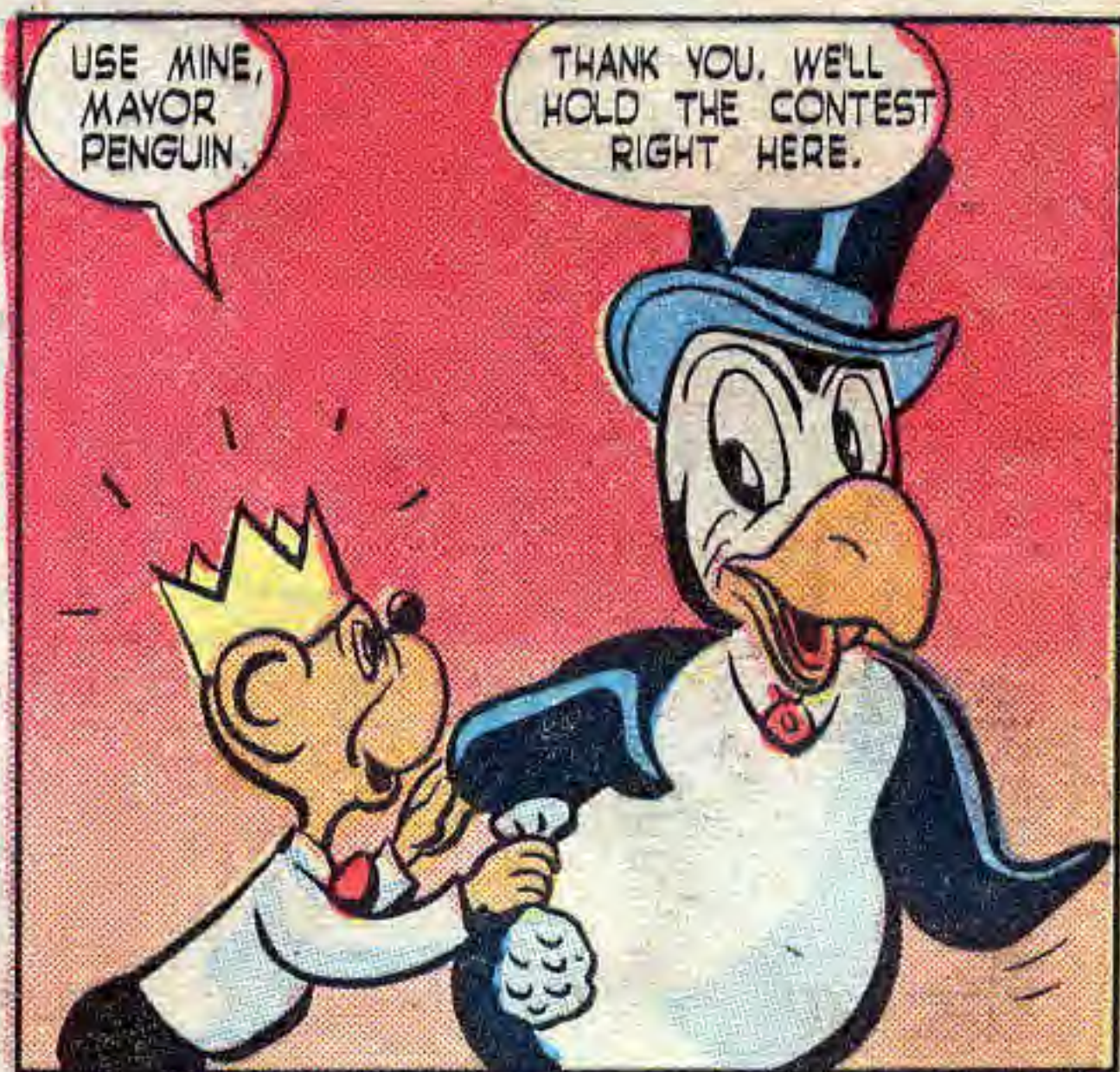
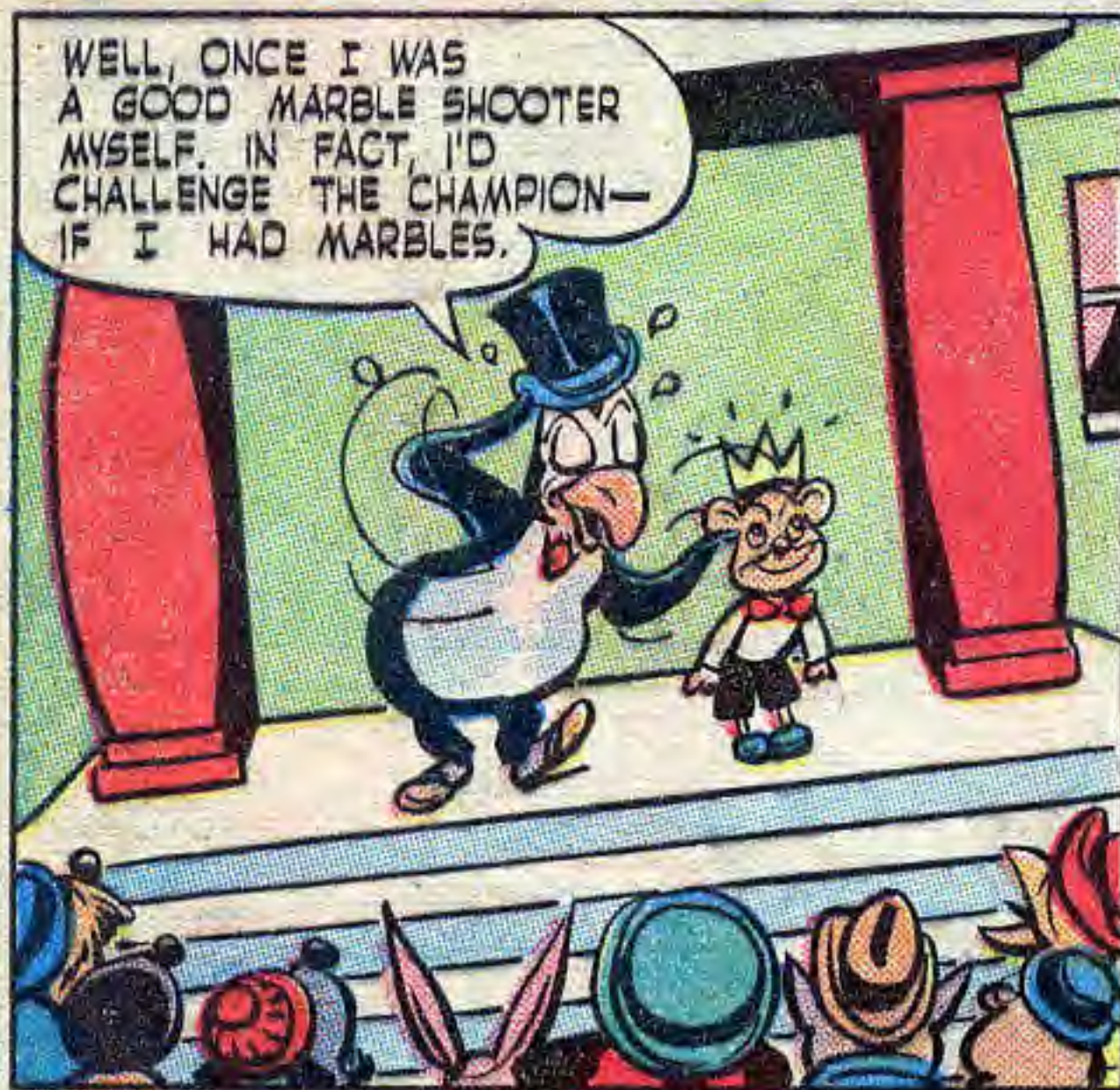
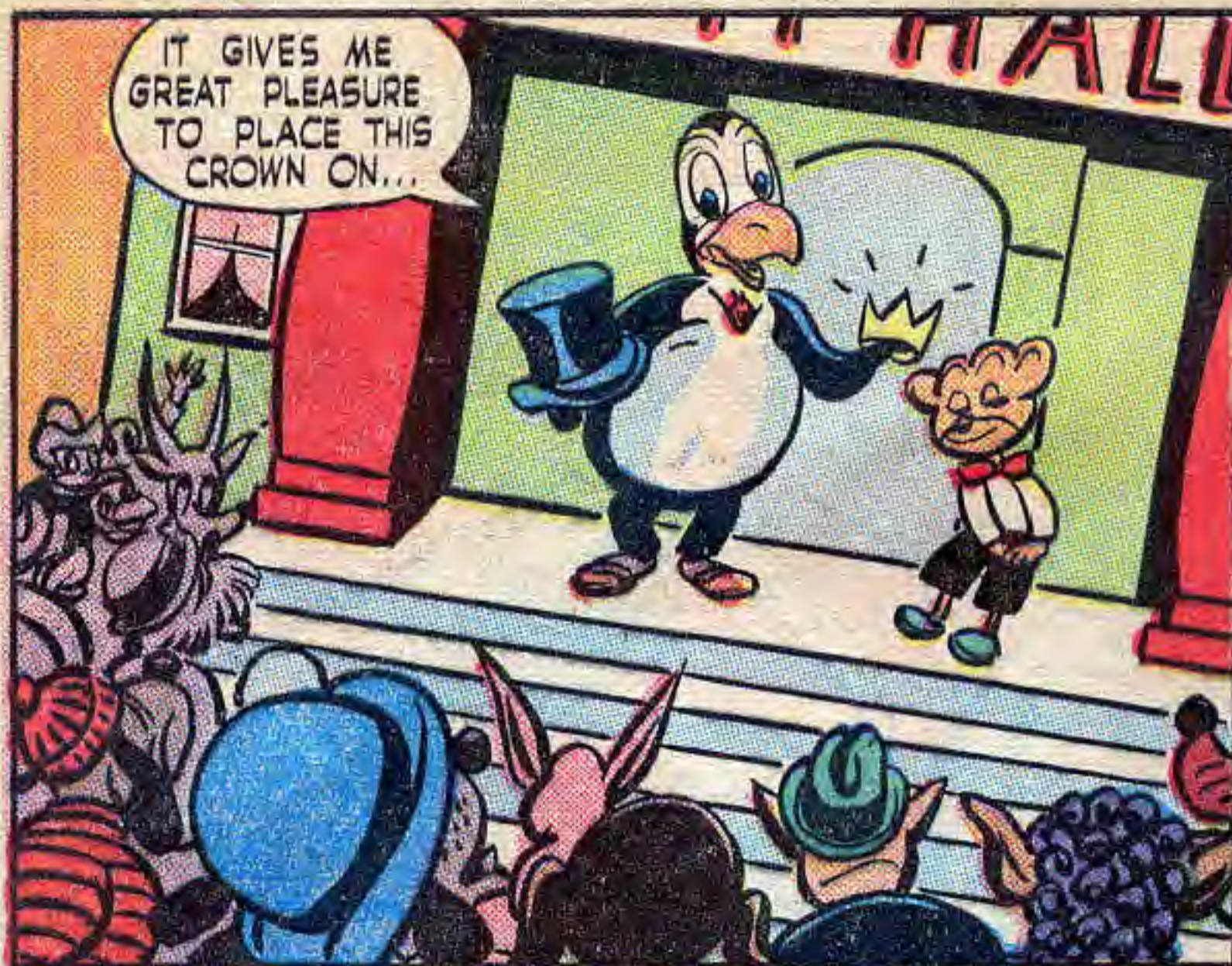
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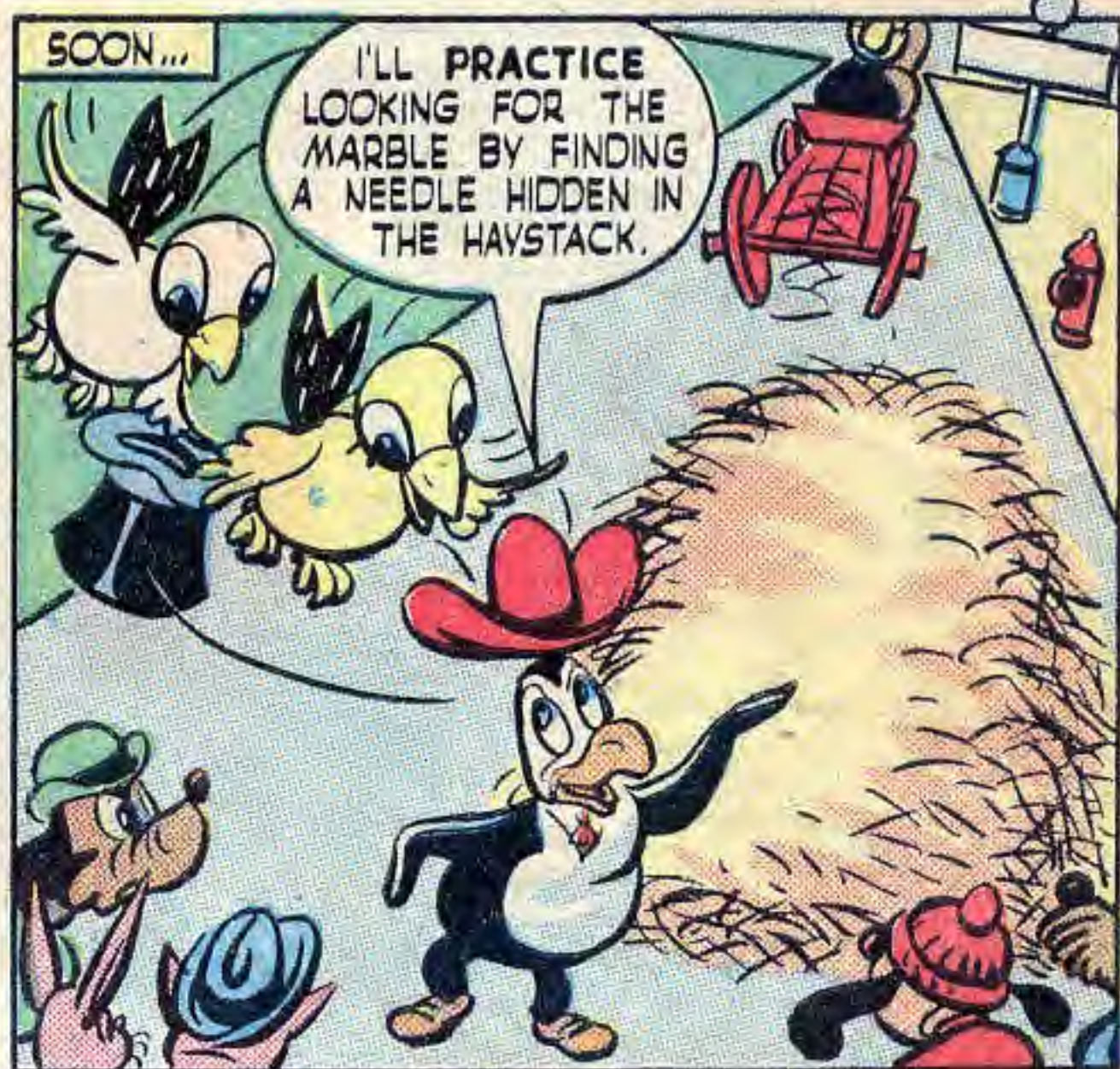
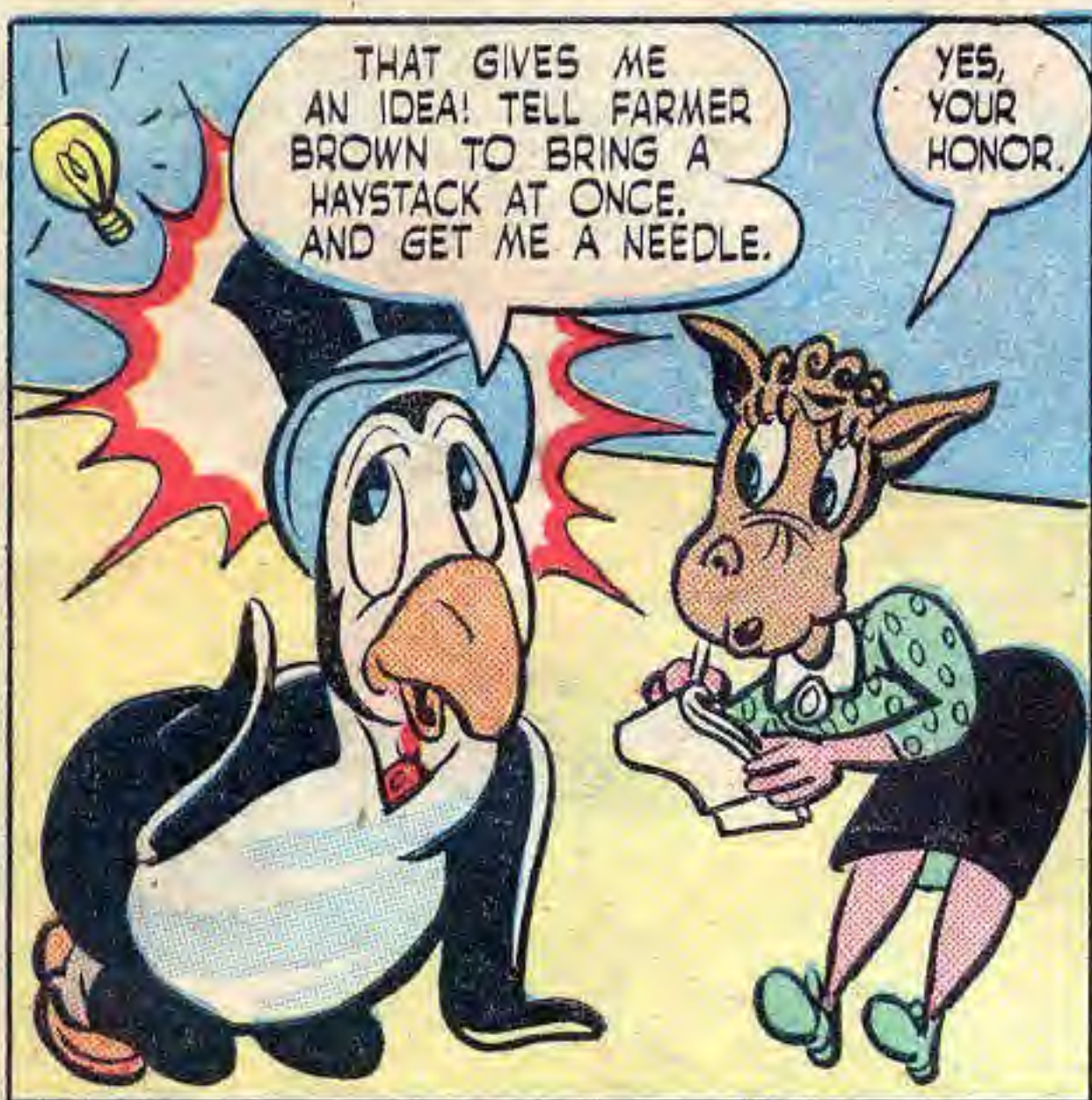
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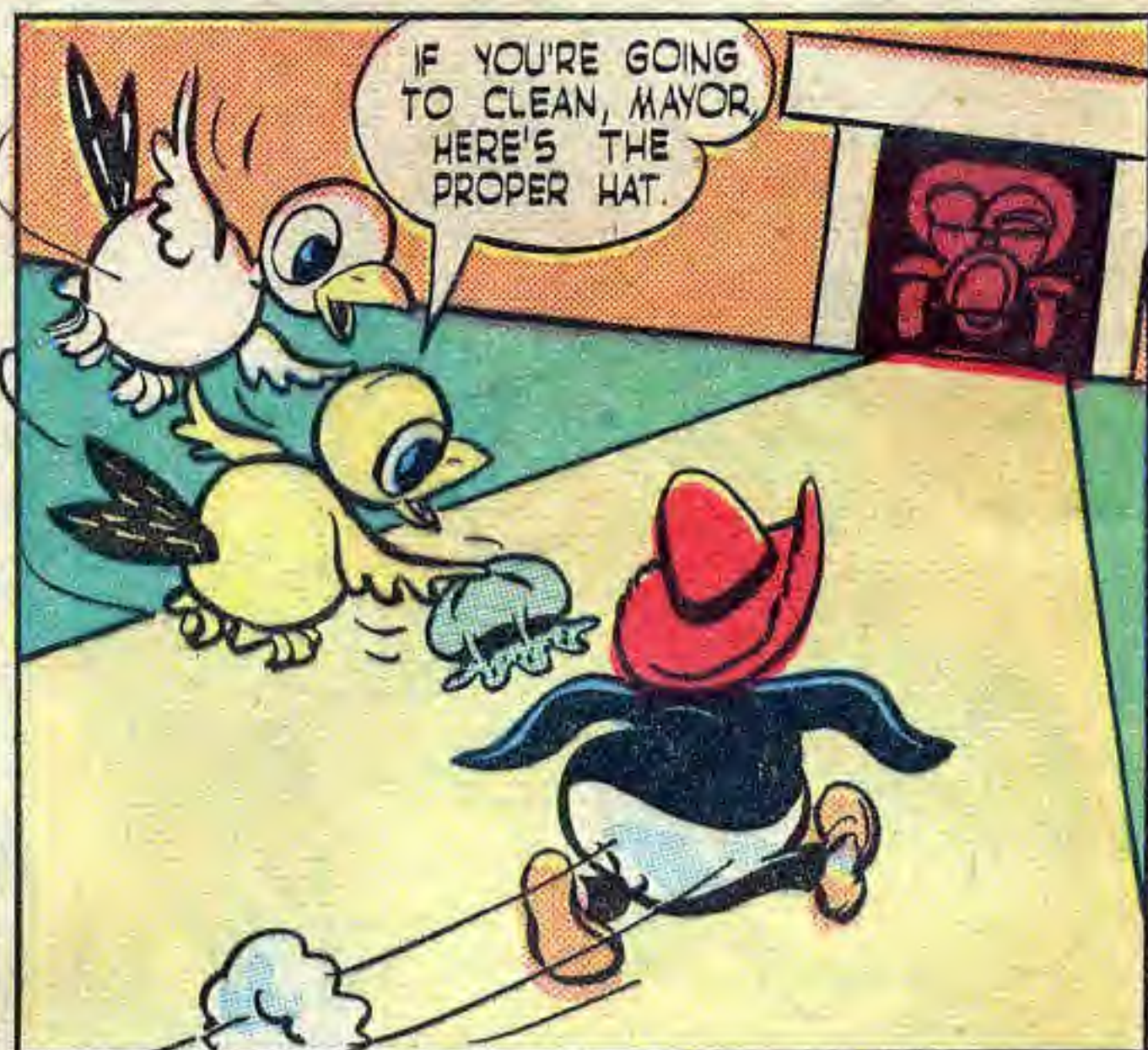
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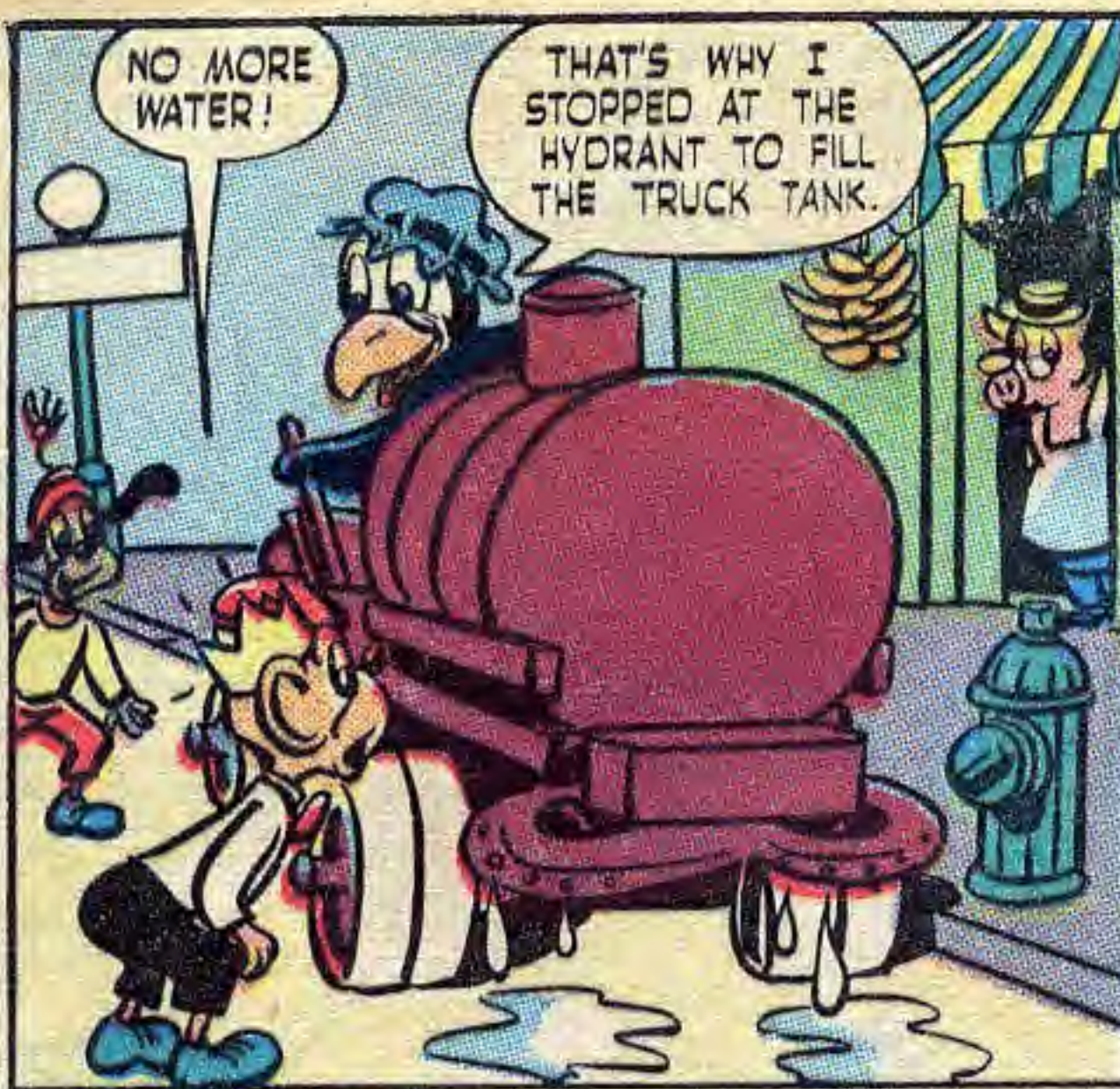
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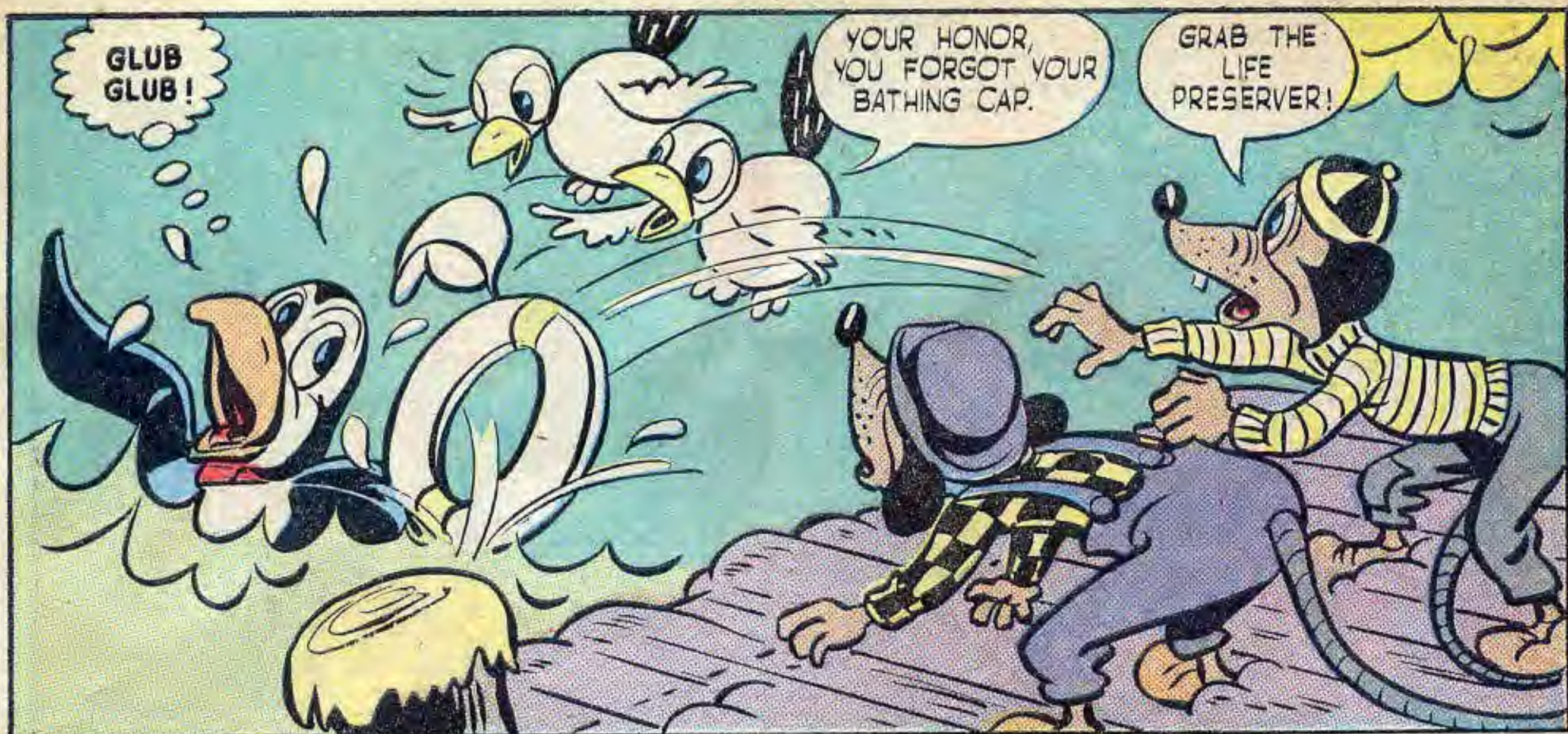
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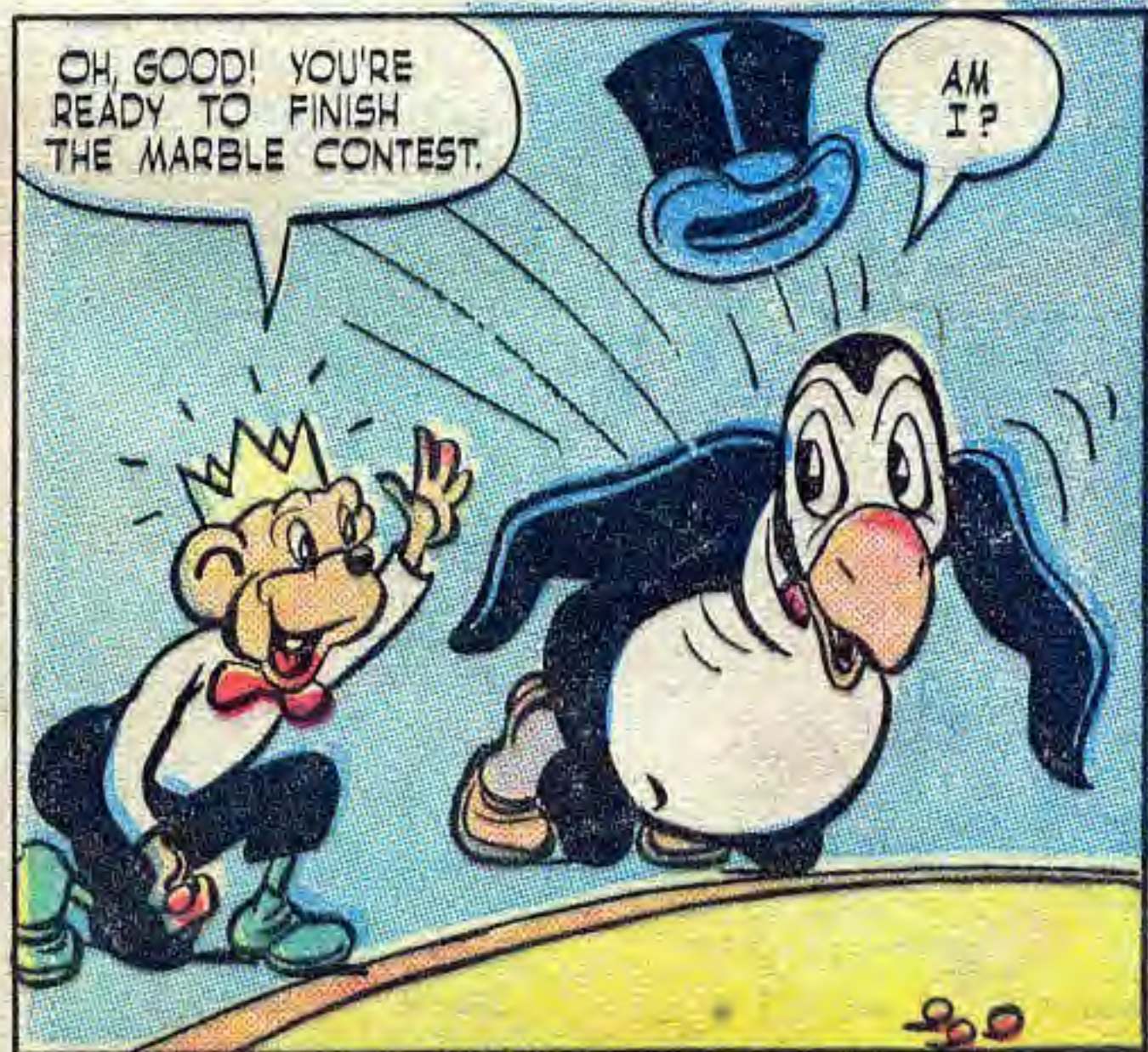
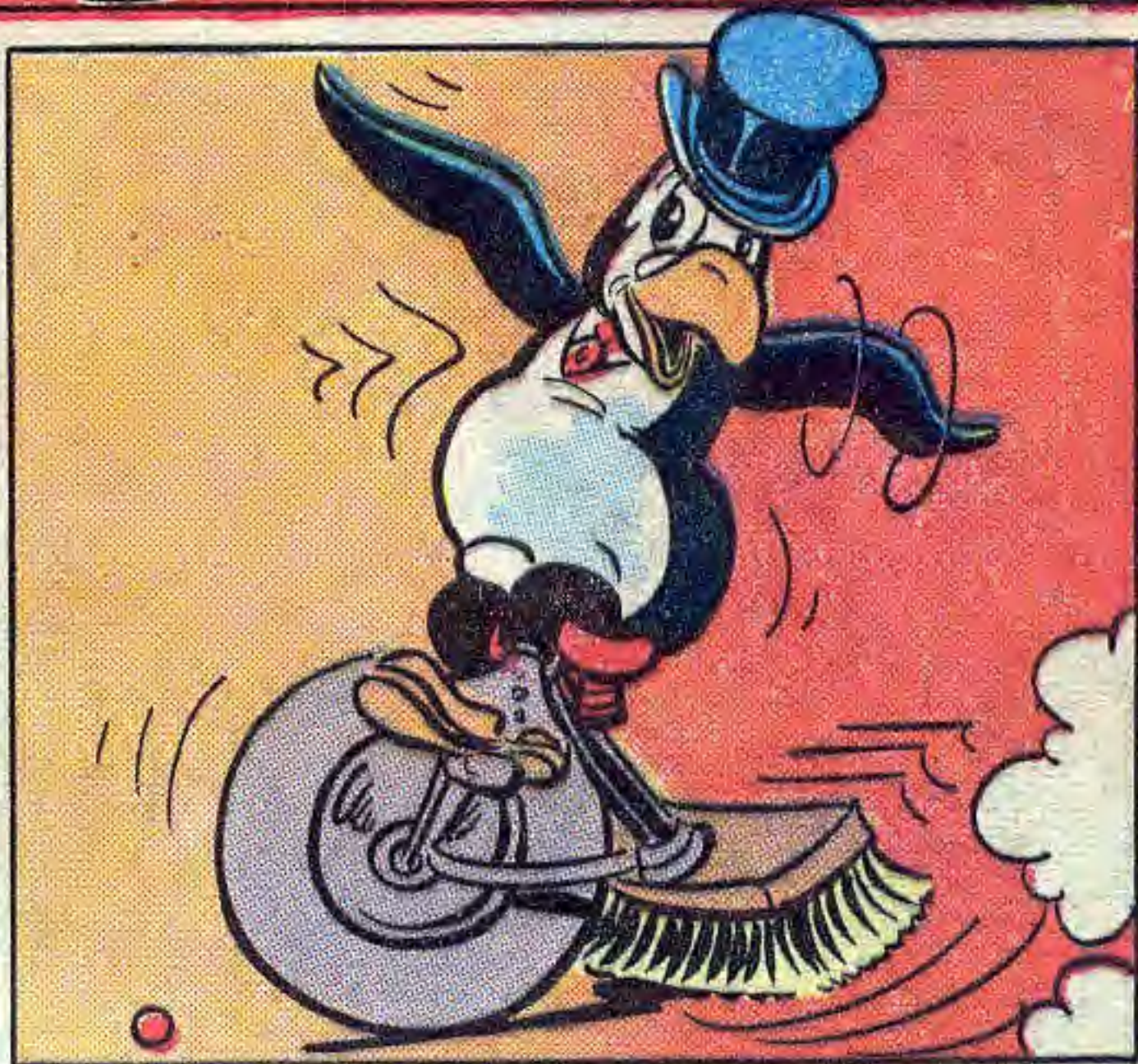








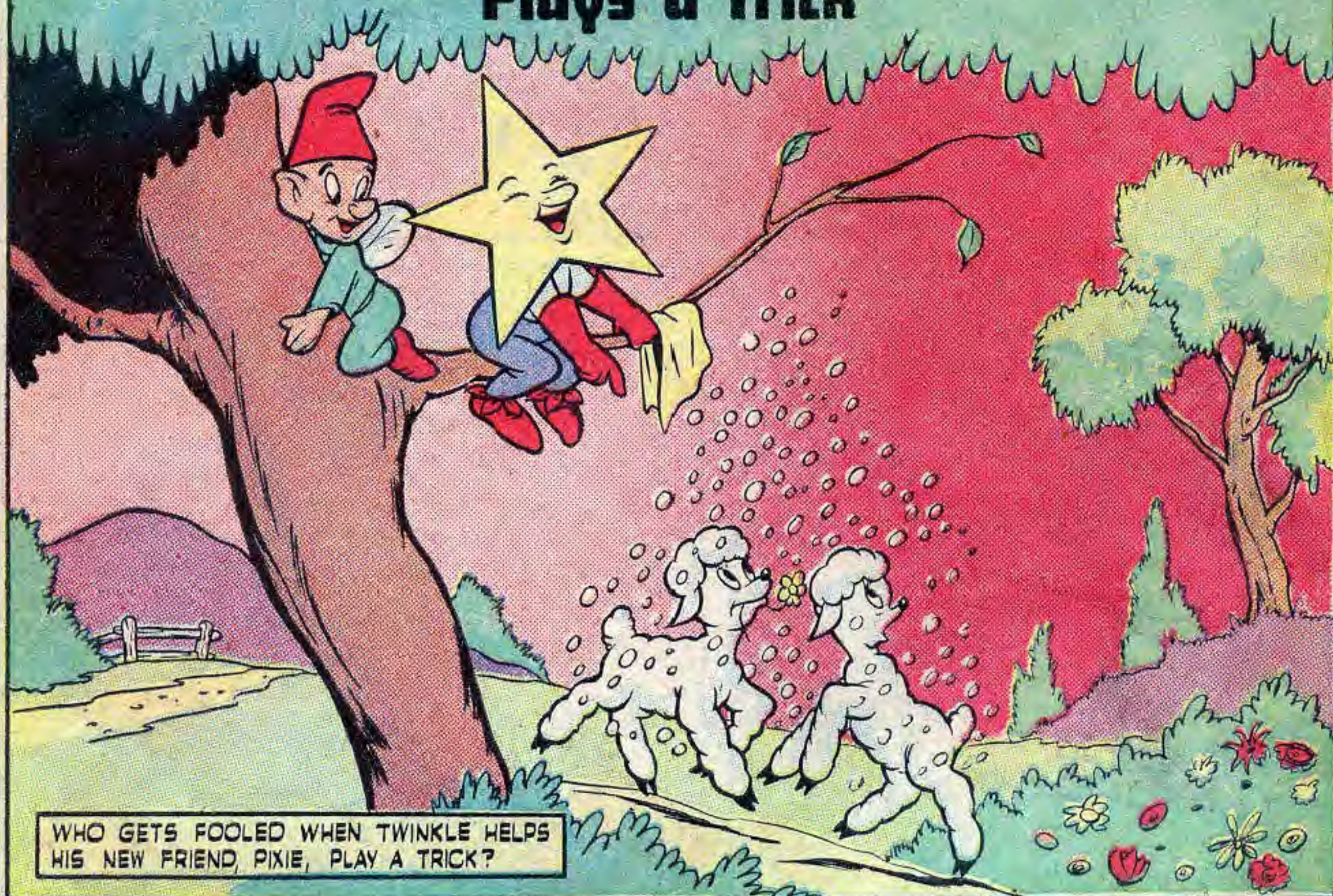




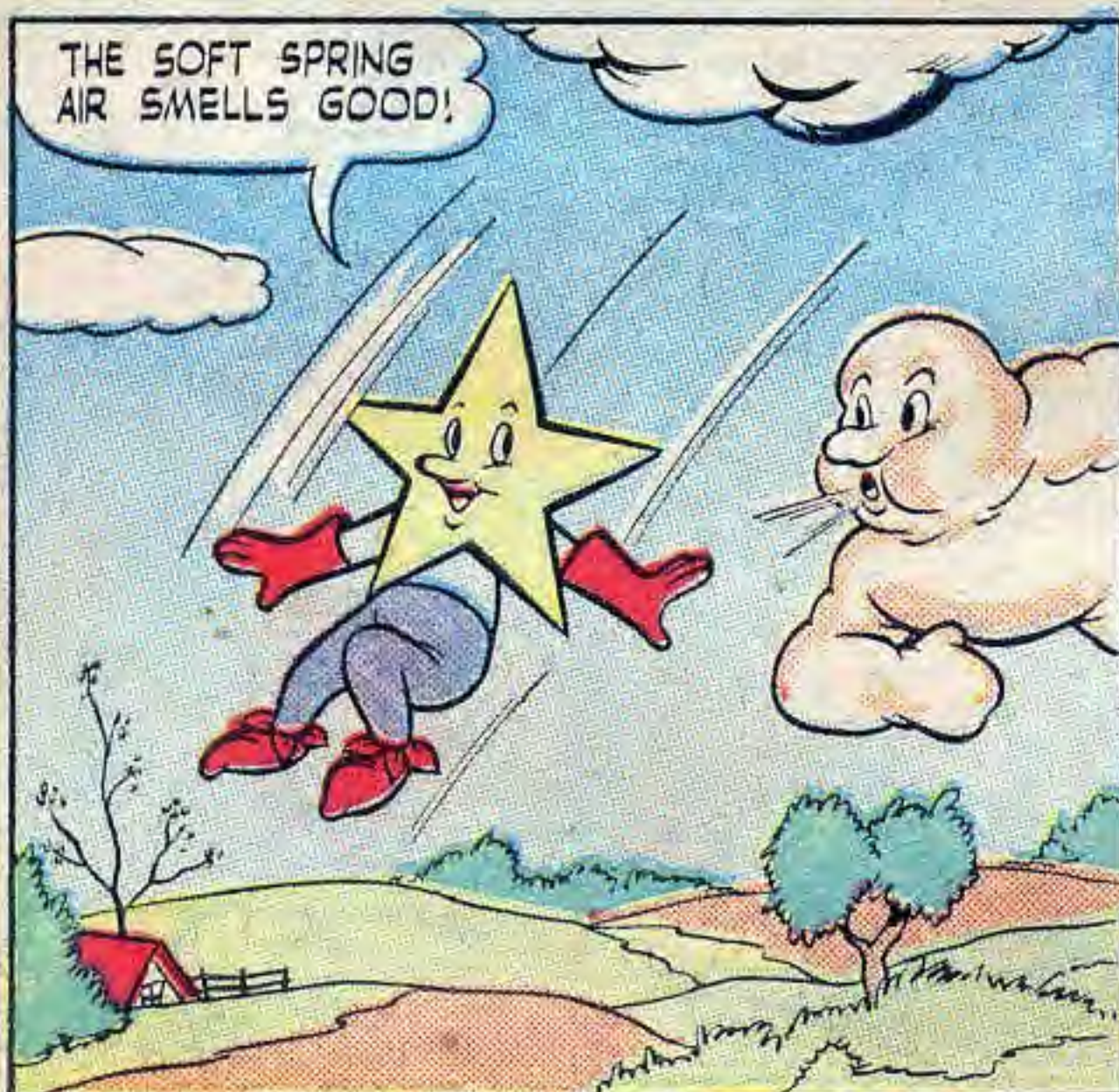
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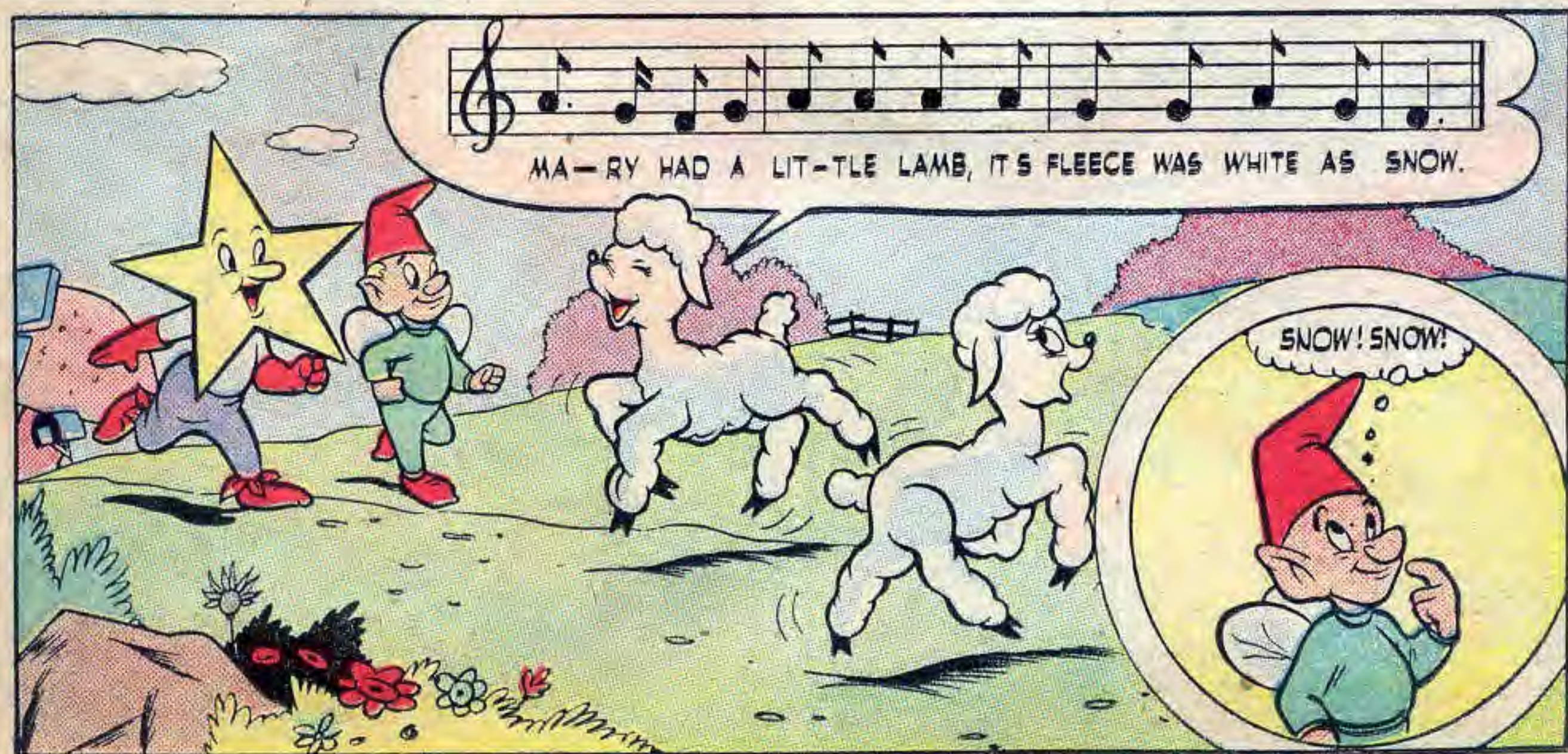
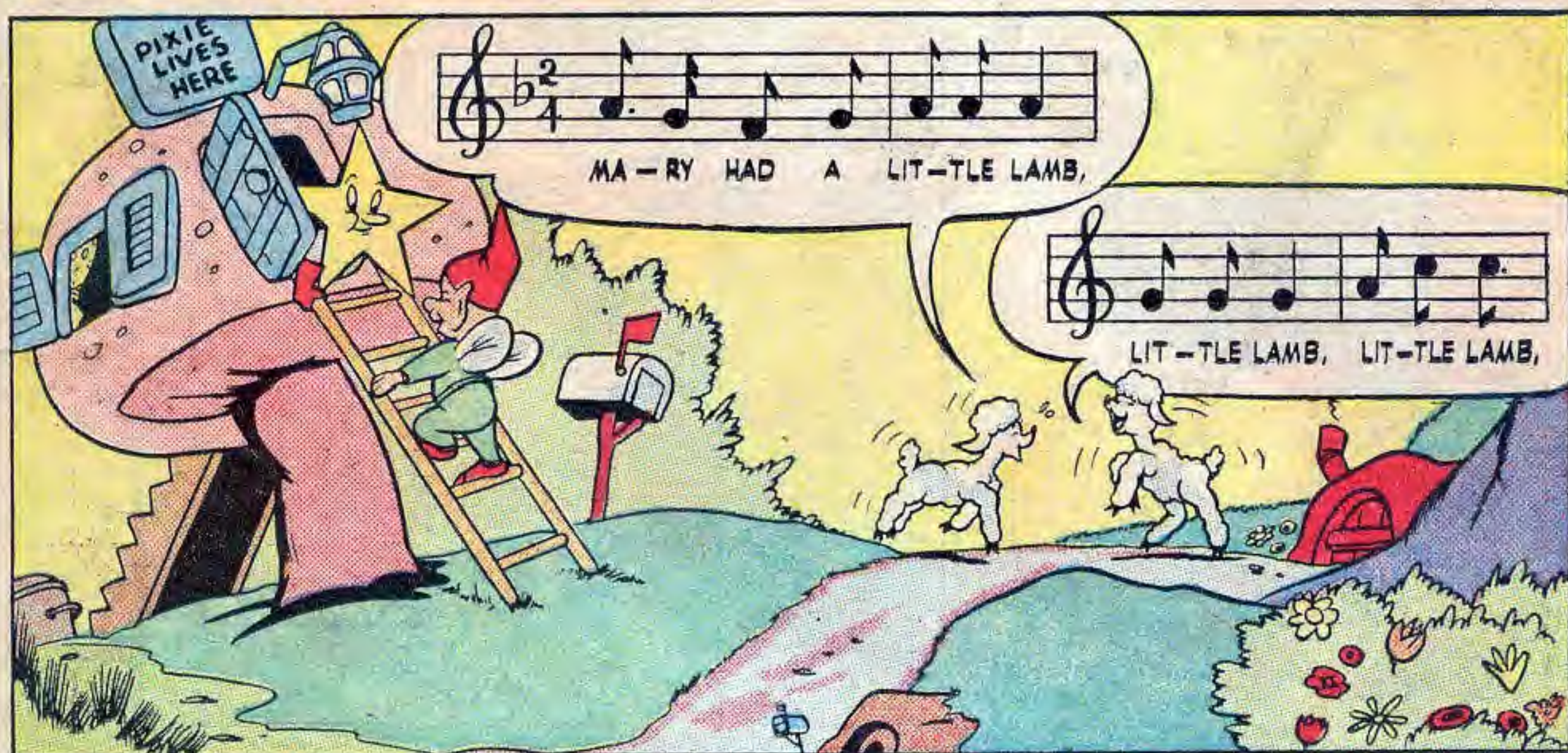
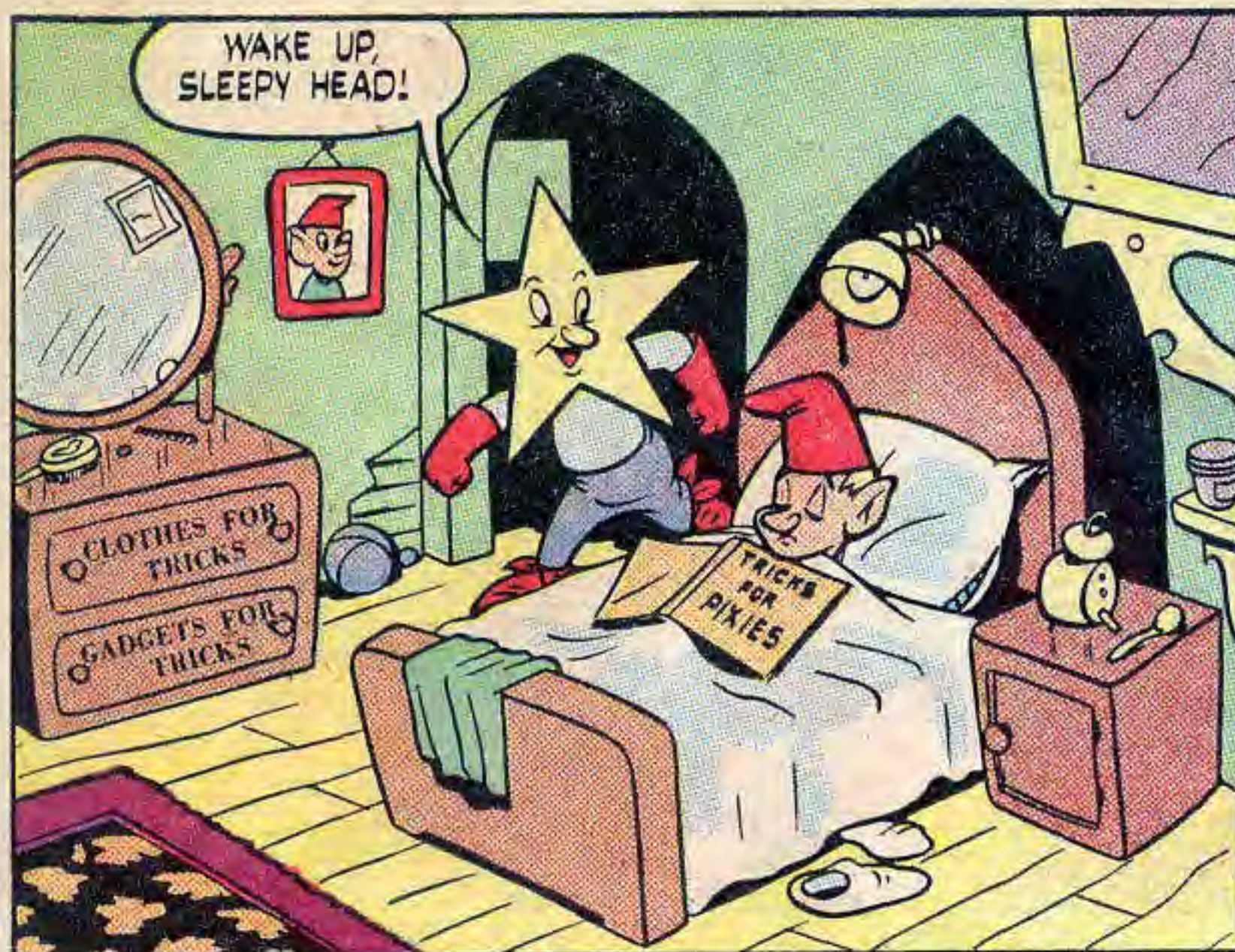
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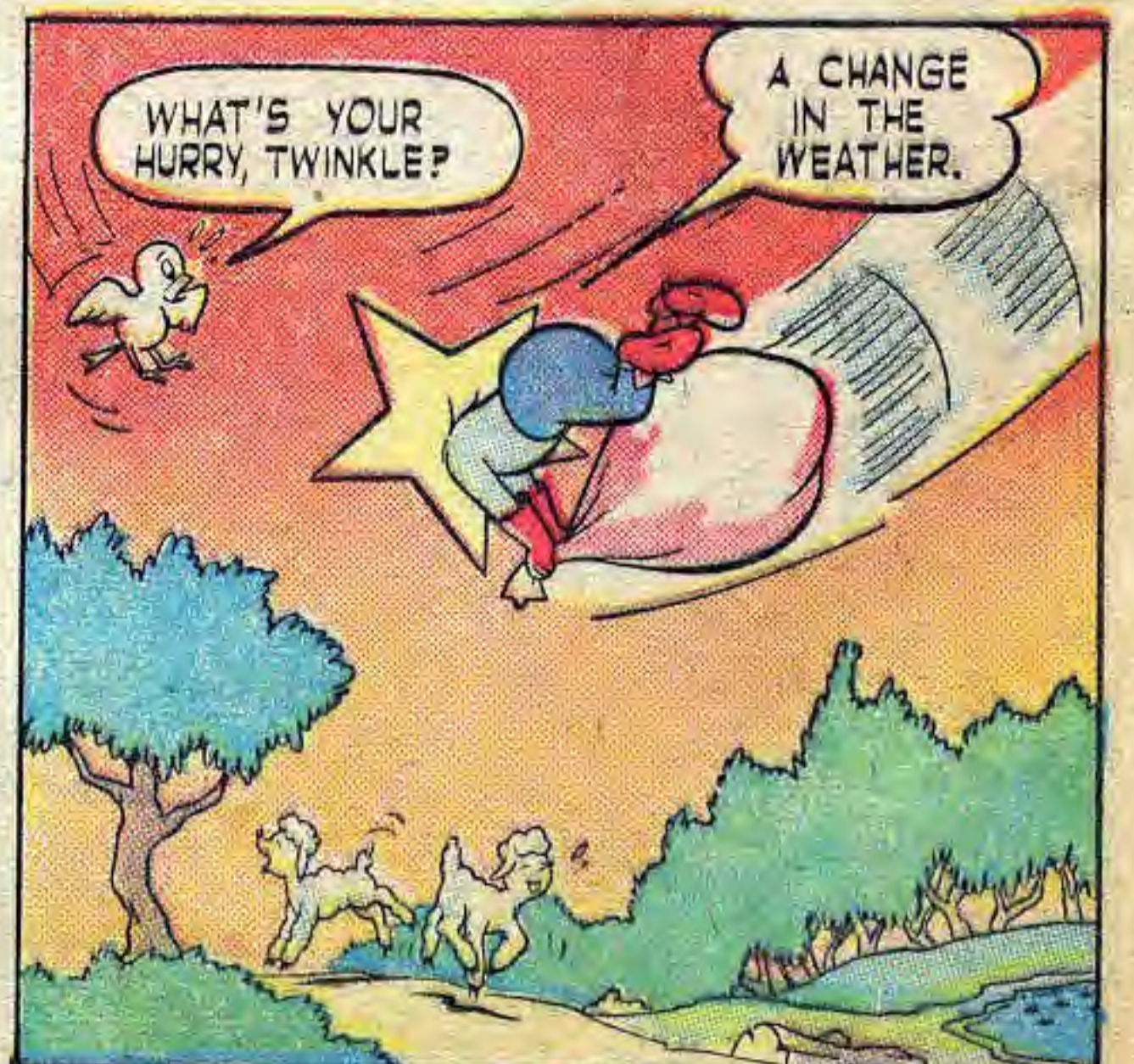
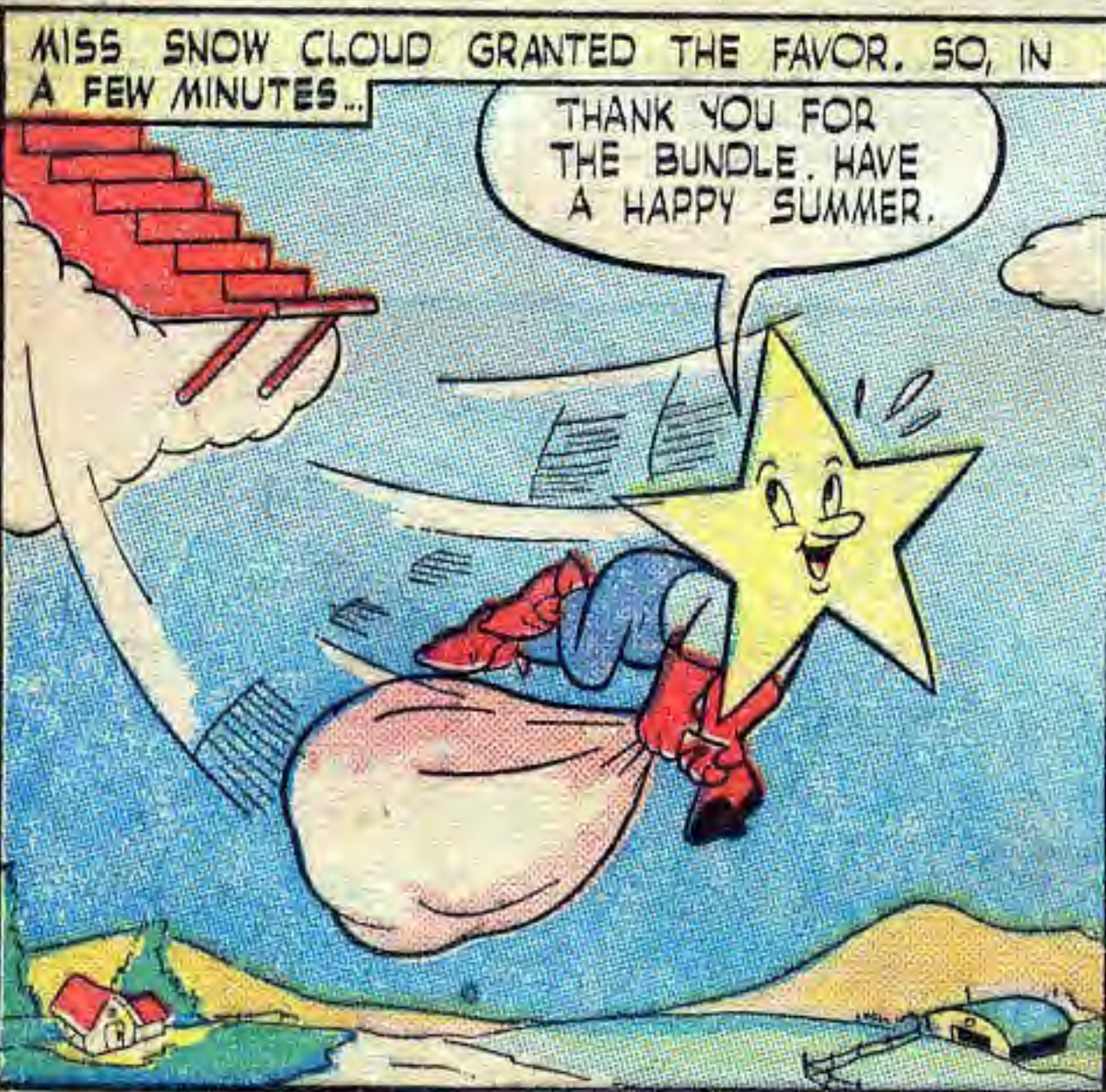
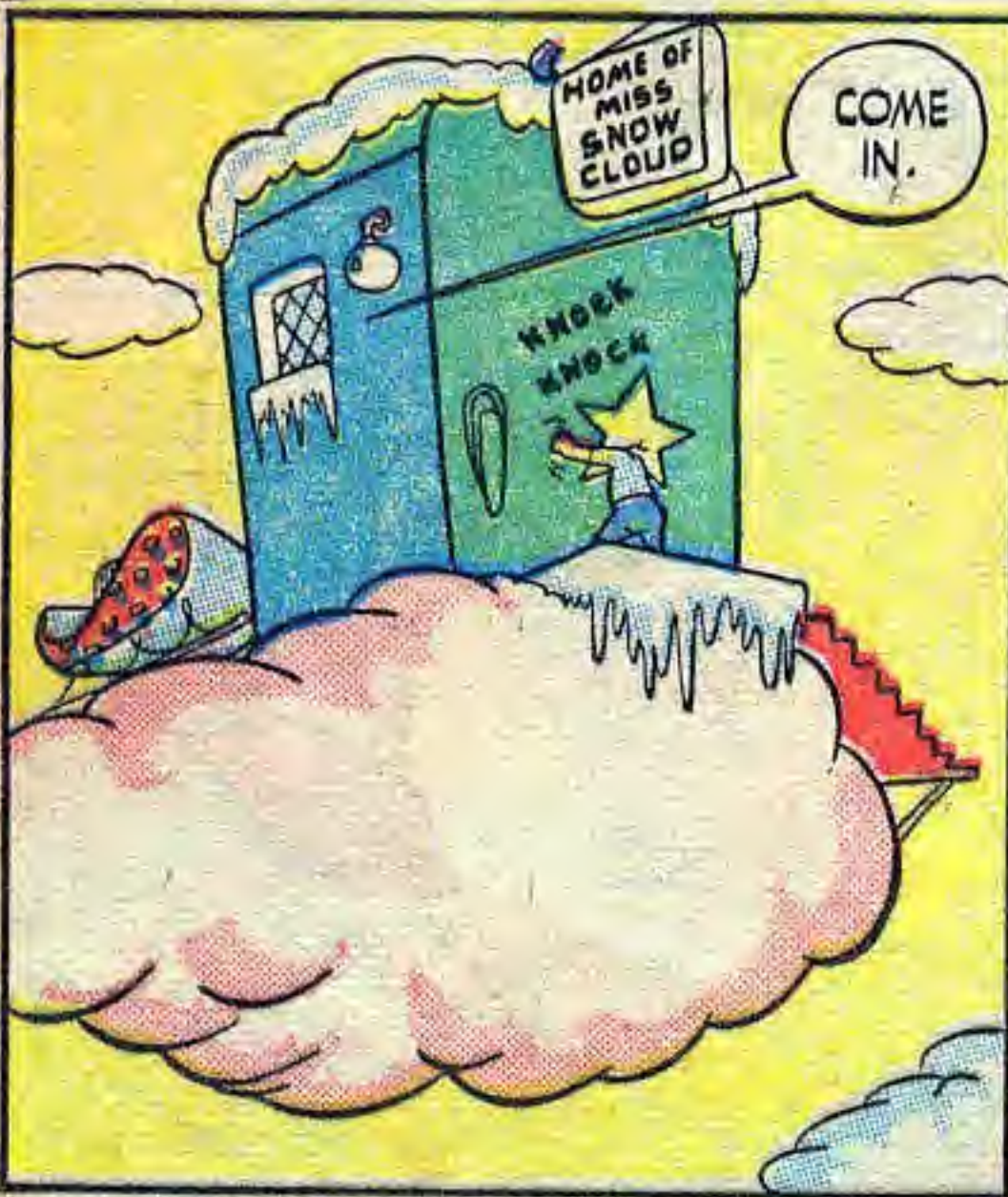
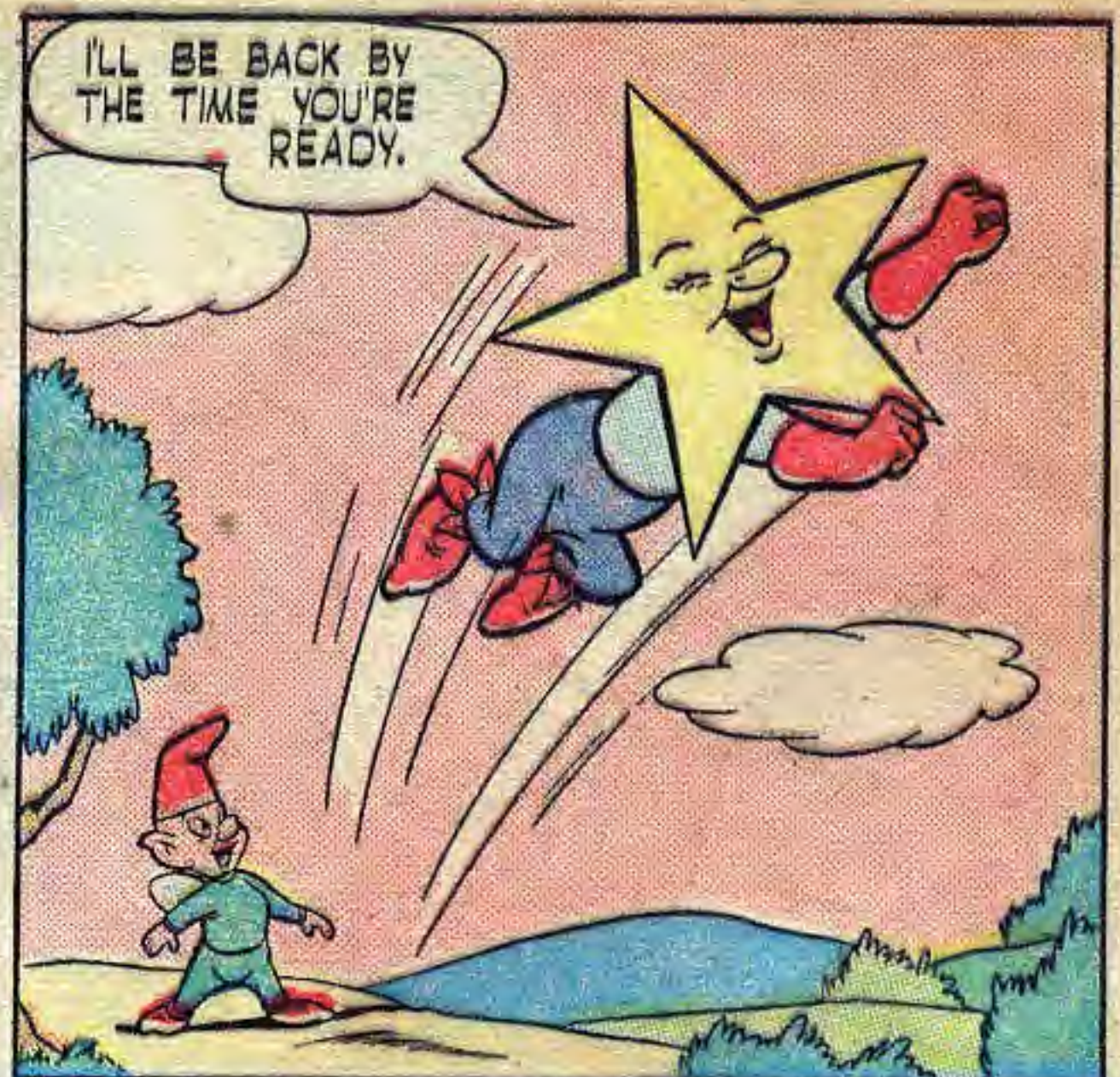
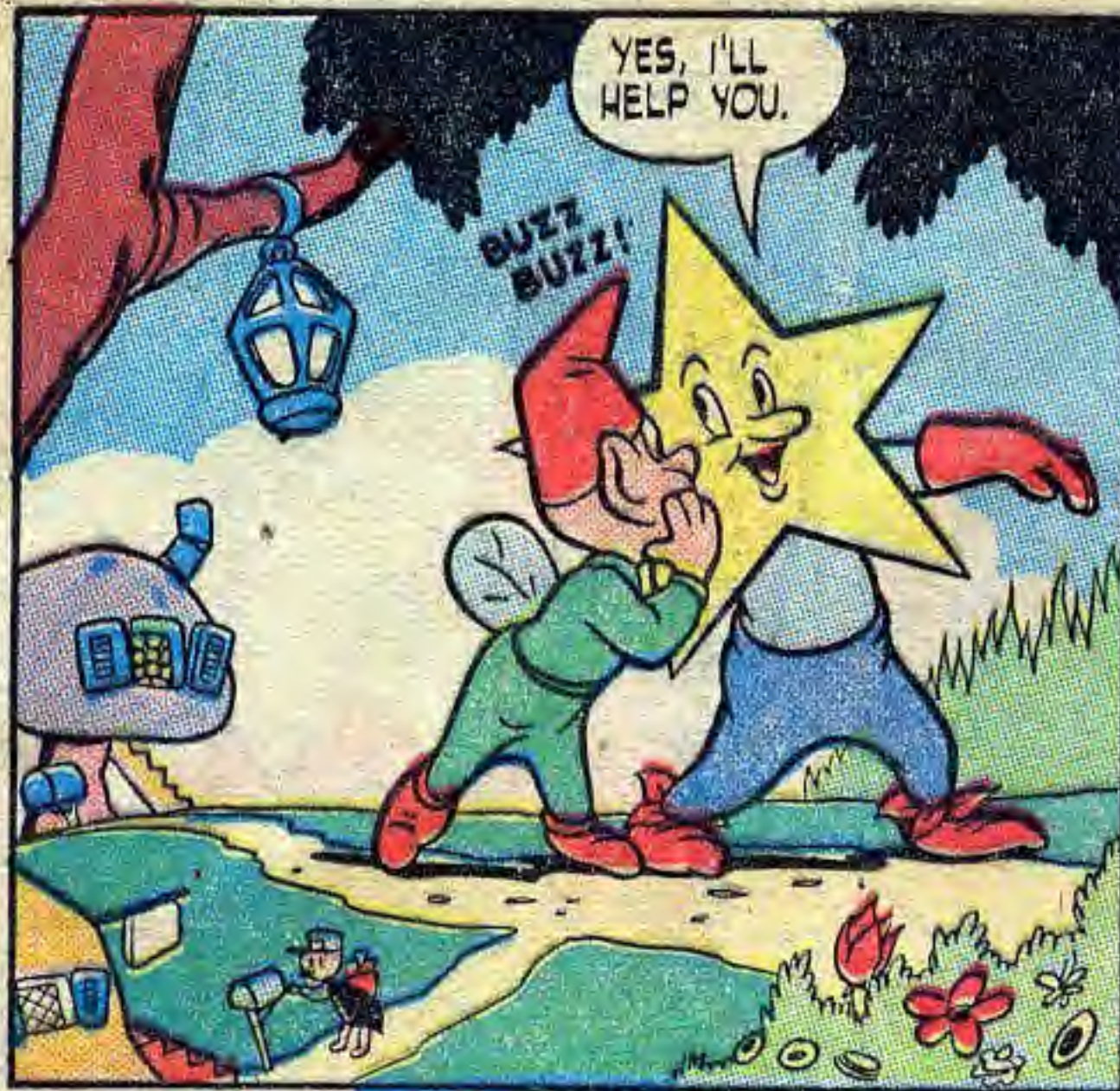
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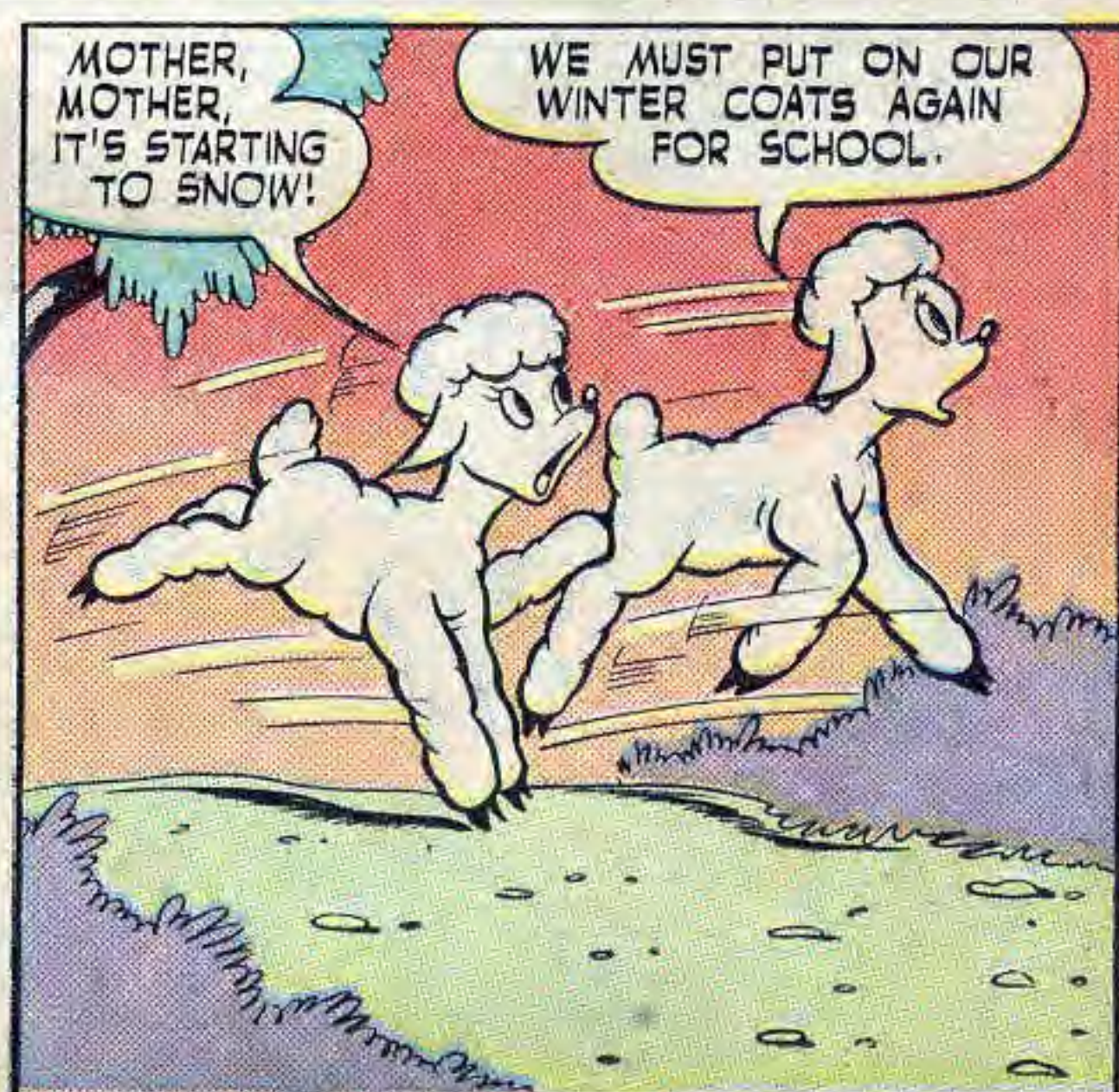
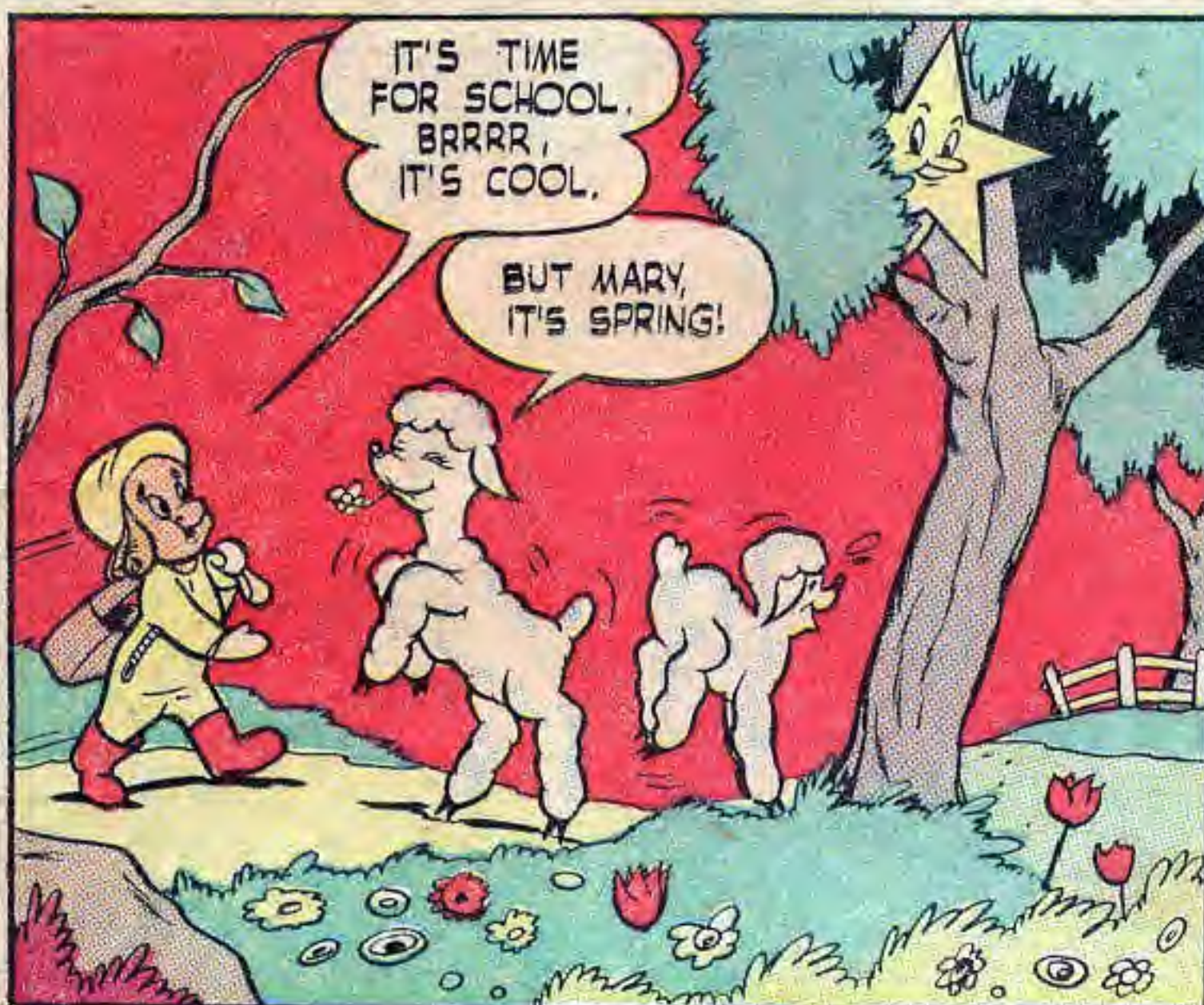
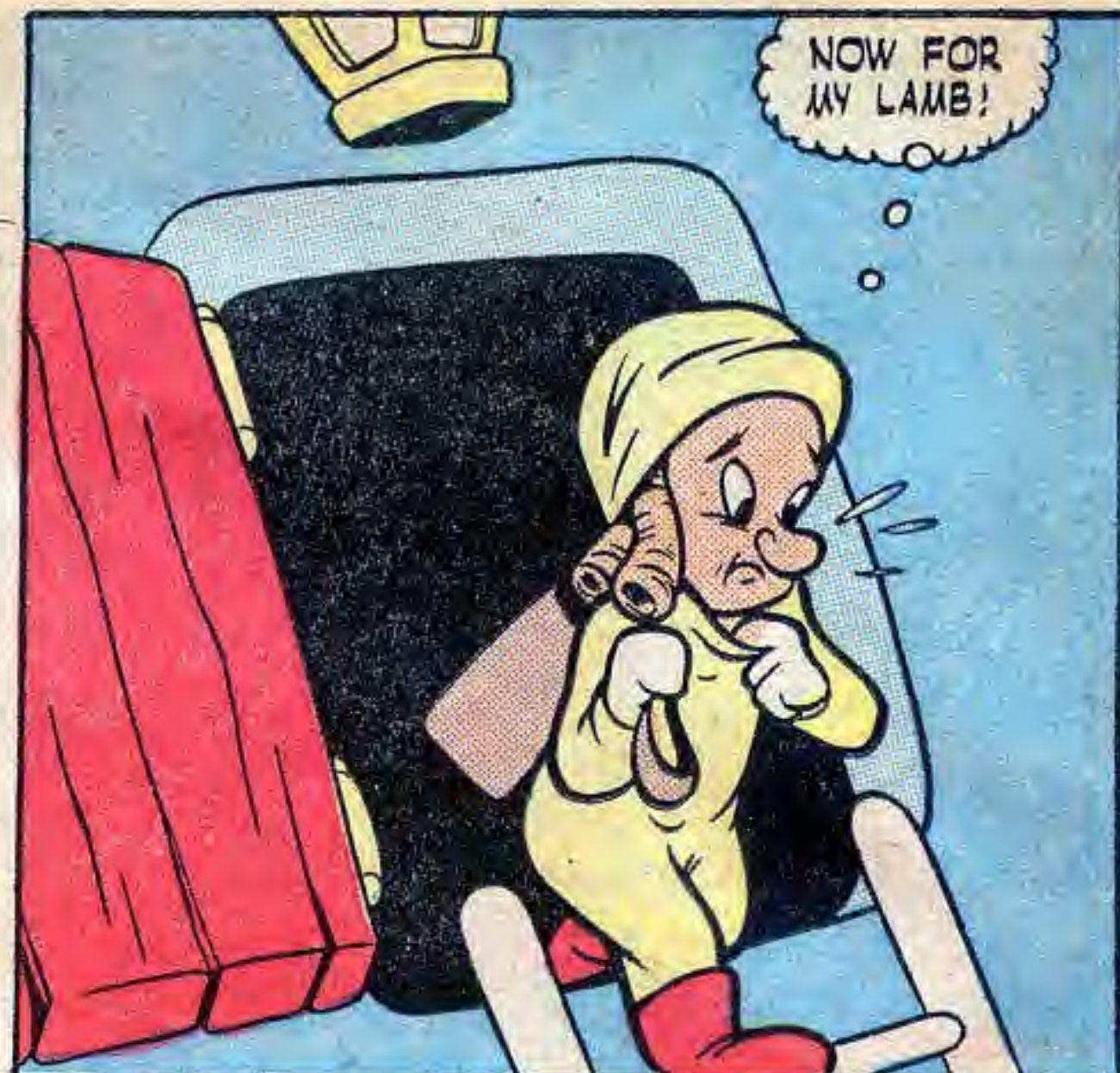


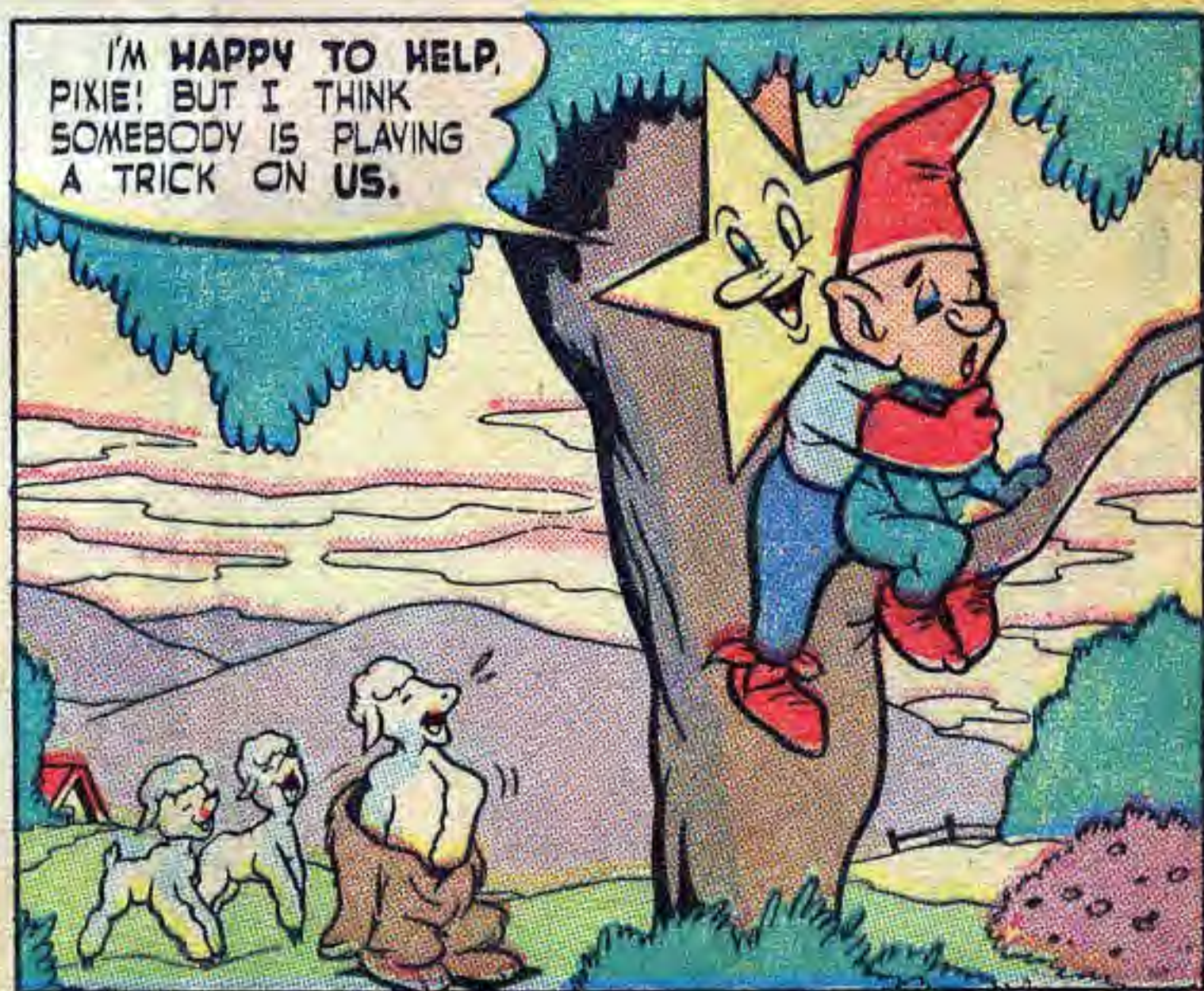
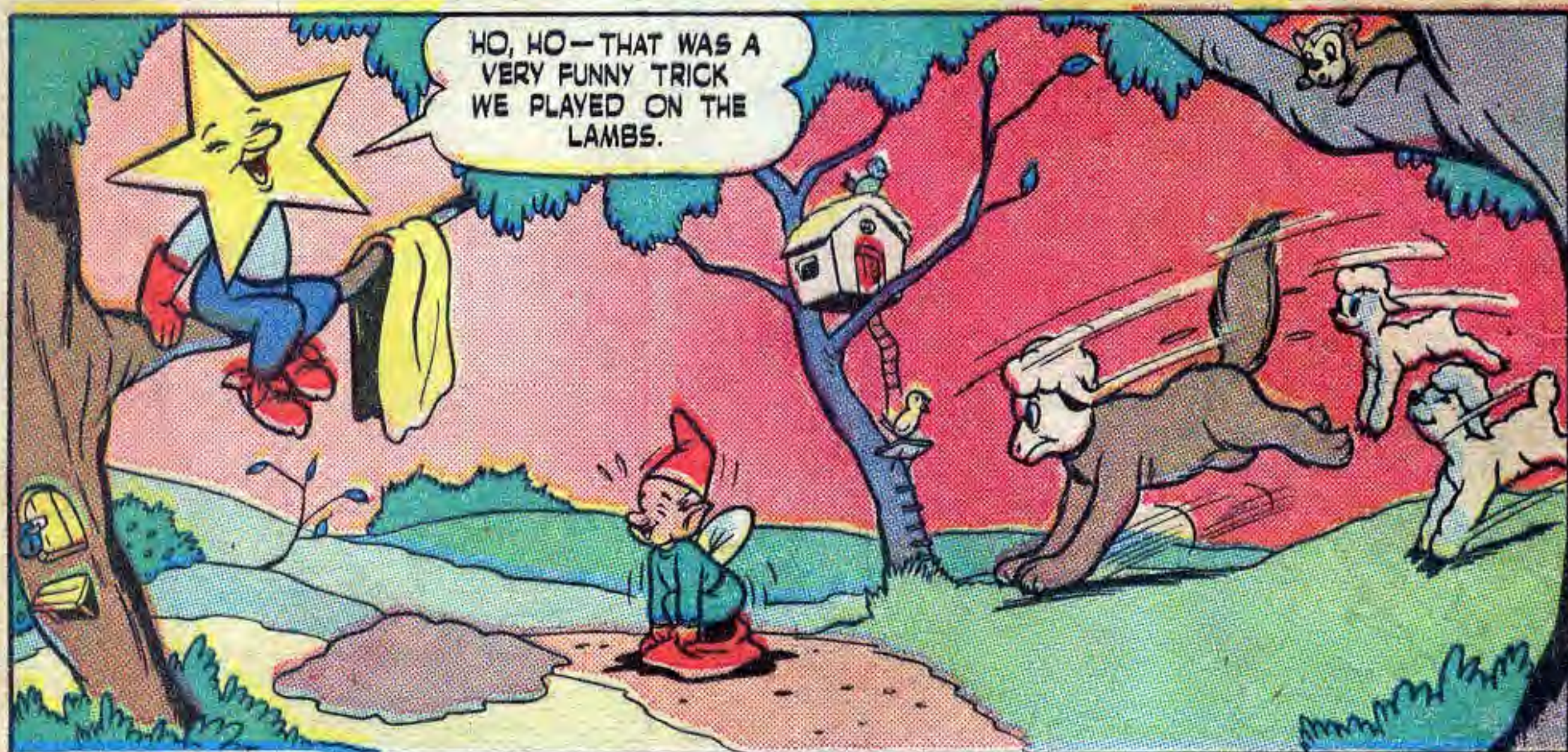
WHO GETS FOOLED WHEN TWINKLE HELPS HIS NEW FRIEND, PIXIE, PLAY A TRICK?











RIDDLES



✓ Why do tall people get more rest than short people?
They lie in bed longer.

*Kristin Holmstrom
Aurora, Ill.*

✓ Why did the moron wear wings when he played football?
He wanted to make a flying tackle.

*John LaCarna
Baton Rouge, La.*

✓ What goes up and down at the same time?
Stairs.

*Ruby Sifsey
Emporia, Va.*

✓ What state in the U. S. has a name like the hair on a horse's neck?
Maine.

*Glenn Swanson
Cleveland, N. C.*

✓ What did one flower say to the other flower?
Hi, bud!

*Antoinette Galan
Jamaica, N. Y.*

✓ Why does the word "bubbles" suggest running away from a hive?
Because there are two B's after U.

*Christine Poznanska
Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

✓ Why did the moron stand in front of the mirror and close his eyes?

He wanted to see what he looked like when he was asleep.

*George Thornton
Washington, Ga.*

✓ When the little boy lost his trousers, how did he get another pair?

He ran around the room until his breath came in pants.

*Shirley Allen
Silver Spring, Md.*



Why does a cook never prepare a square meal?

Because he wants the food to go round.

*Judy and Kennie Knaell
Columbus, Ohio*

✓ Why do watermelons have so much water in them?

They are planted in the spring.

*Carolyn Guinn
Tucson, Ariz.*

Why did the moron put the alarm clock under his pillow?

He wanted to sleep overtime.

*Jane Knoblock
Tuscola, Ill.*

✓ What is the biggest ant in the world?

Eleph-ant.

*Arnold Dubinsky
Hazleton, Pa.*

✓ What shoemaker makes shoes without leather?

A horse-shoer.

*Sharon Larson
Grandy, Minn.*

✓ Why is an island like the letter T?

Because it is in the middle of water.

*Ellen Fogelson
New York, N. Y.*

✓ Why did the little girl say the baker was cruel?

Because he whipped the cream and beat the eggs.

*Bonnie Richards
Somers, Iowa*

✓ Why did the moron go to the football game?

He wanted to see if the coach had four wheels.

*Bobby Goode
Salem, Va.*

✓ Which president wore the largest hat?

The one with the biggest head.

*Judy and Steve Cohen
Belleville, N. J.*



✓ Why was the teacher in the lumber yard?

He was looking for the Board of Education.

*Johnny Pappas
Greensboro, N. C.*

How much dirt is there in a hole ten feet square and five feet deep?

None.

David Larson
Jamestown, N. Y.

When is it proper to say, "I is"?

When you say, "I is the ninth letter of the alphabet."

Leonard Geisman
Davenport, Iowa

What kind of a tie does a hog like?

A pig's-tie (pigsty).

Margaret Brich
Neola, Iowa

What is it that can speak all languages?

An echo.

Evan Saltzer
Valley View, Pa.

If a cow has a rope five yards long tied around her neck and there is some grass twenty feet away, can the cow reach the grass?

Yes, if the other end of the rope isn't tied to anything.

Carol Roark
Edwardsville, Kan.

How would you like a chocolate sundae?

Thank you, but I'd rather have one today.

Lofton Trakes
Nashville, Tenn.

How does a mother mountain greet her son?

Hello, Cliff!

Ellen Powell
Brooklyn, N. Y.

What is very light, but impossible to hold for very long?

Your breath.

Margaret Nell Pauck
Berea, Ky.



Why did the little moron skip all day?

Because the doctor told him to take some medicine for three days, and then skip a day.

Nancy Fleming
Dayton, Ohio

✓ Why is this riddle like a broken pencil?

Because it has no point.

Evelyn Byrne
Boston, Mass.

What was little Jack Horner's business?

He was a plum-ber.

Harold Booher
Gifford, Ill.



Why did the moron hold a baseball glove in front of his mouth?

He was trying to catch his breath.

Dick Gwinn
Tucson, Ariz.

What draws but can't write?

A horse hitched to a wagon.

David Peck
Hagerstown, Md.

Why did the moron think he was a magician?

He walked down the street and turned into a store.

Jean Thulman
Mateapan, Mass.

What is cow hide used for?

To cover a cow.

Lorraine Brown
New Bedford, Mass.

When is a boy like an animal?

When he's barefooted.

Mary Lou Jensen
Omaha, Neb.



✓ If a man gave one son 15 cents and gave another son 10 cents, what time would it be?

A quarter to two.

Joseph O'Leska
Clairton, Pa.



What word begins with E and ends with E but only has one letter?

An envelope with a letter in it.

Evelyn Blumberg
Philadelphia, Pa.

What is always in rain but never in water?

The letter N.

Robert Vossler
Depew, N. Y.

✓ Why can't a bicycle stand alone?

Because its wheels are too tired.

Jim Penn
Calgary, Alberta, Can.

Why did the moron plant an electric light bulb in his backyard?

He wanted to grow a power plant.

George Thornton
Washington, Ga.

What did the little moron say when the boarding house blew up?

Roomers are flying.

Jimmie Poothor
Centralia, Mo.

✓ There is a girl in a candy store who is five feet tall, blonde hair and blue eyes. What does she weigh?

Candy.

James Goodwin
Forest, Miss.

✓ Where did Columbus first stand when he reached America?

On his feet.

Barbara Geist
La Junta, Colo.

Why did the moron hop down the stairs on one foot?

Because the other foot was asleep and he didn't want to wake it up.

Richard Dyer
Madison, Wisc.

What two letters make a six-letter word?

T and P (teepee).

Donald Henniger
South Bend, Ind.

✓ What kind of tables do you eat?

Vegetables.

Hellean Stoudemine
McAlester, Okla.

What word, when you take away the first letter, makes you sick?

Music. Take away the M and it leaves u sic.

Nancy Born
Lynbrook, L. I., N. Y.

✓ Which part of an apple is the left side?

The part which isn't eaten.

Jerry Pieger
Dayton, Ohio

What cat lives in the ocean?

Octopus.

Kathryn Lee Pisel
Lomita, Calif.

✓ If a lion and a bull came after you, what would you shoot first?

The gun.

Jay Frank
Statesville, N. C.

✓ What has eight legs and sings? A quartet.

Virginia Hudson
Newnan, Ga.

✓ If you were facing west, what would be on your right hand? Fingers.

Joan Larson
Grandy, Minn.

What is the difference between one yard and two? A fence.

Agnes Martin
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✓ Why did the moron put glue on his mouth?

He wanted to see lips stick.

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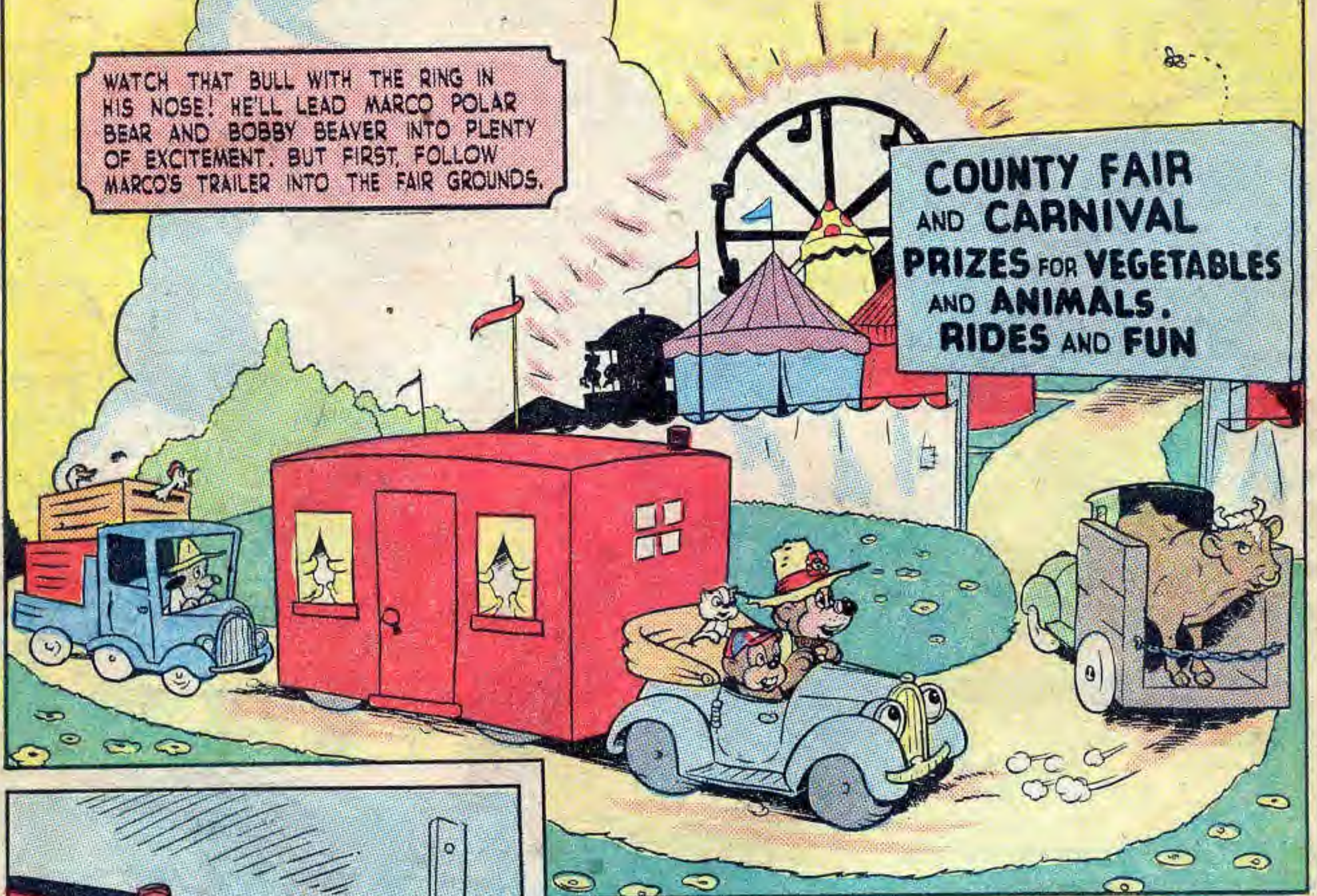
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MARCO POLAR BEAR

AT THE UNFAIR FAIR

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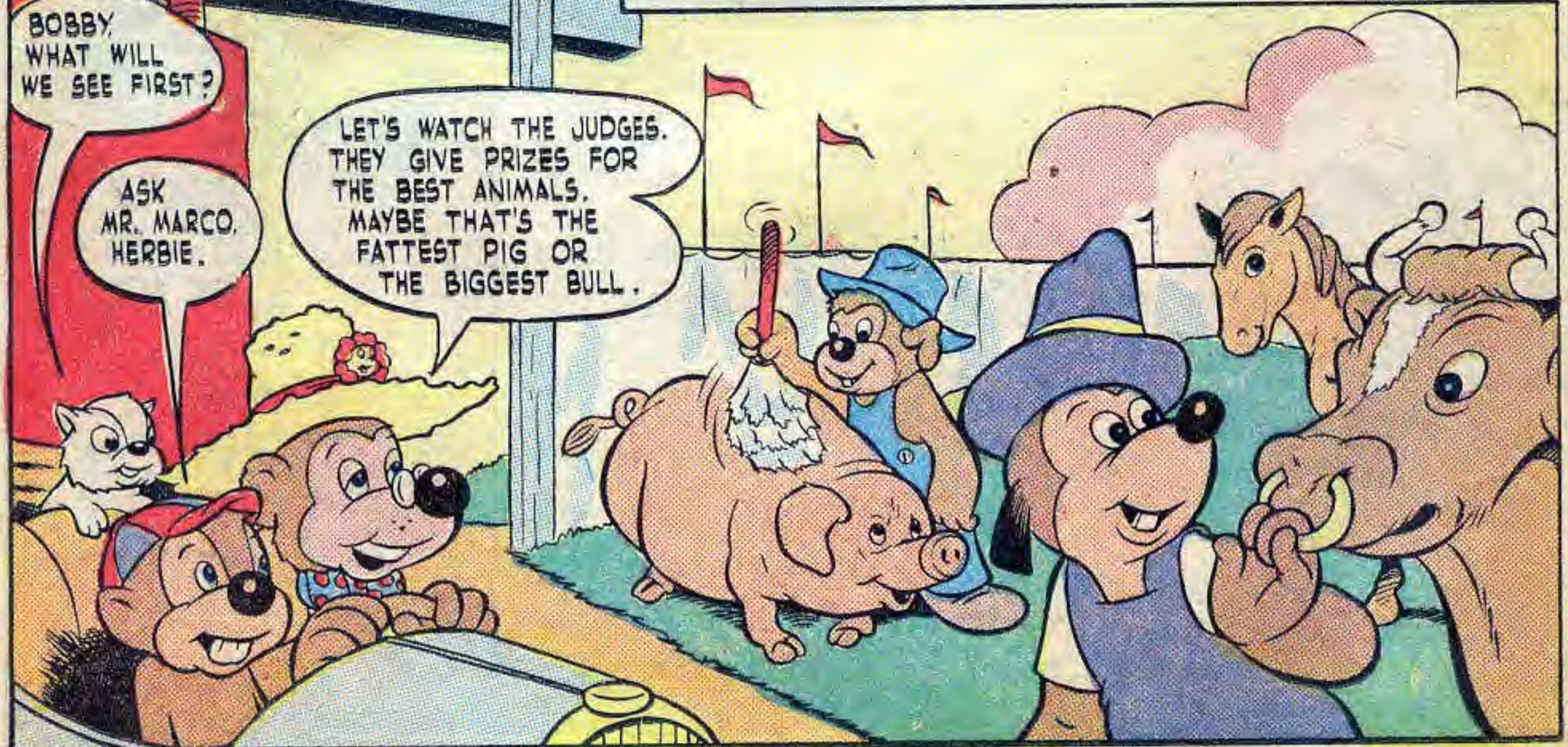
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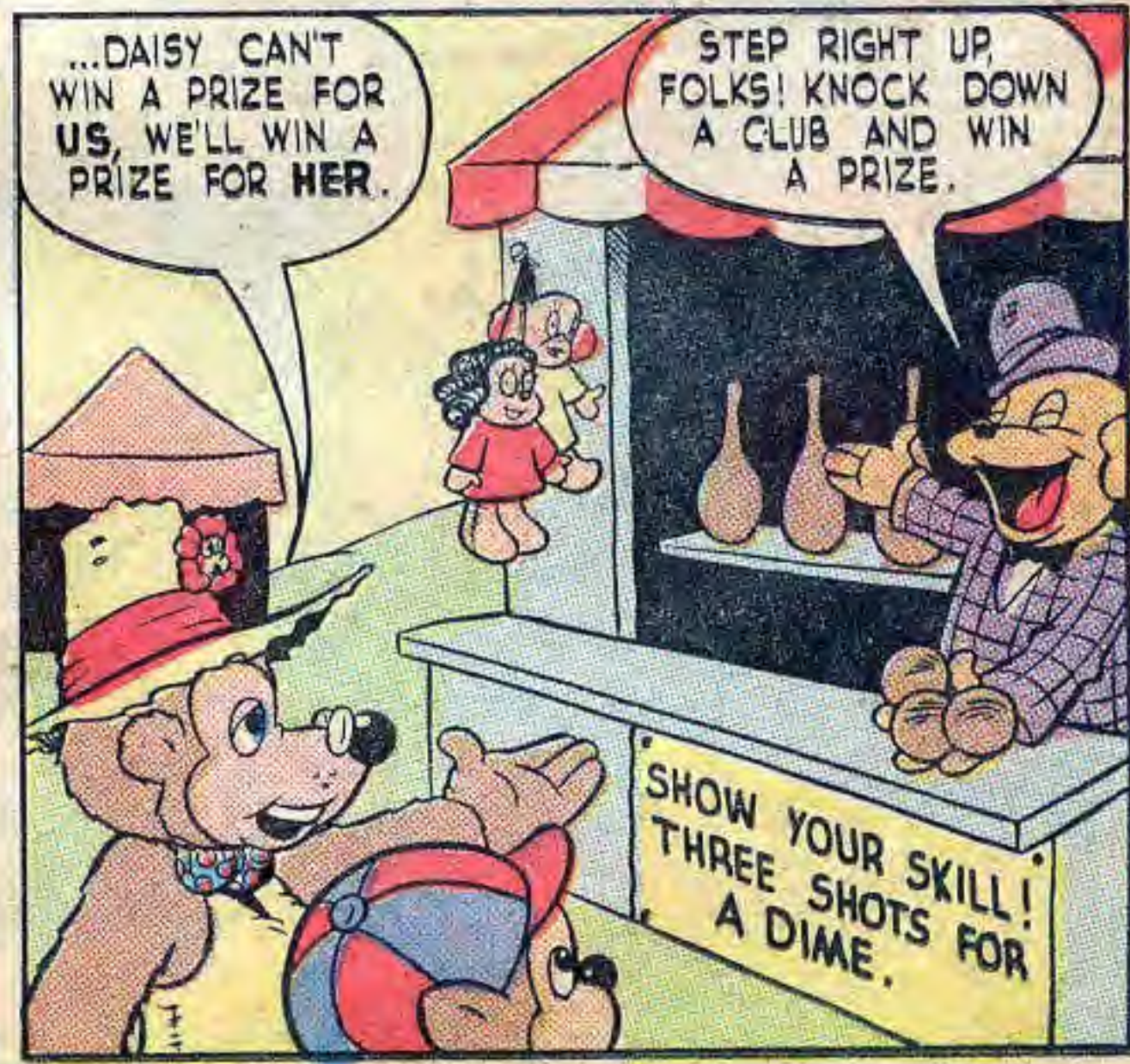
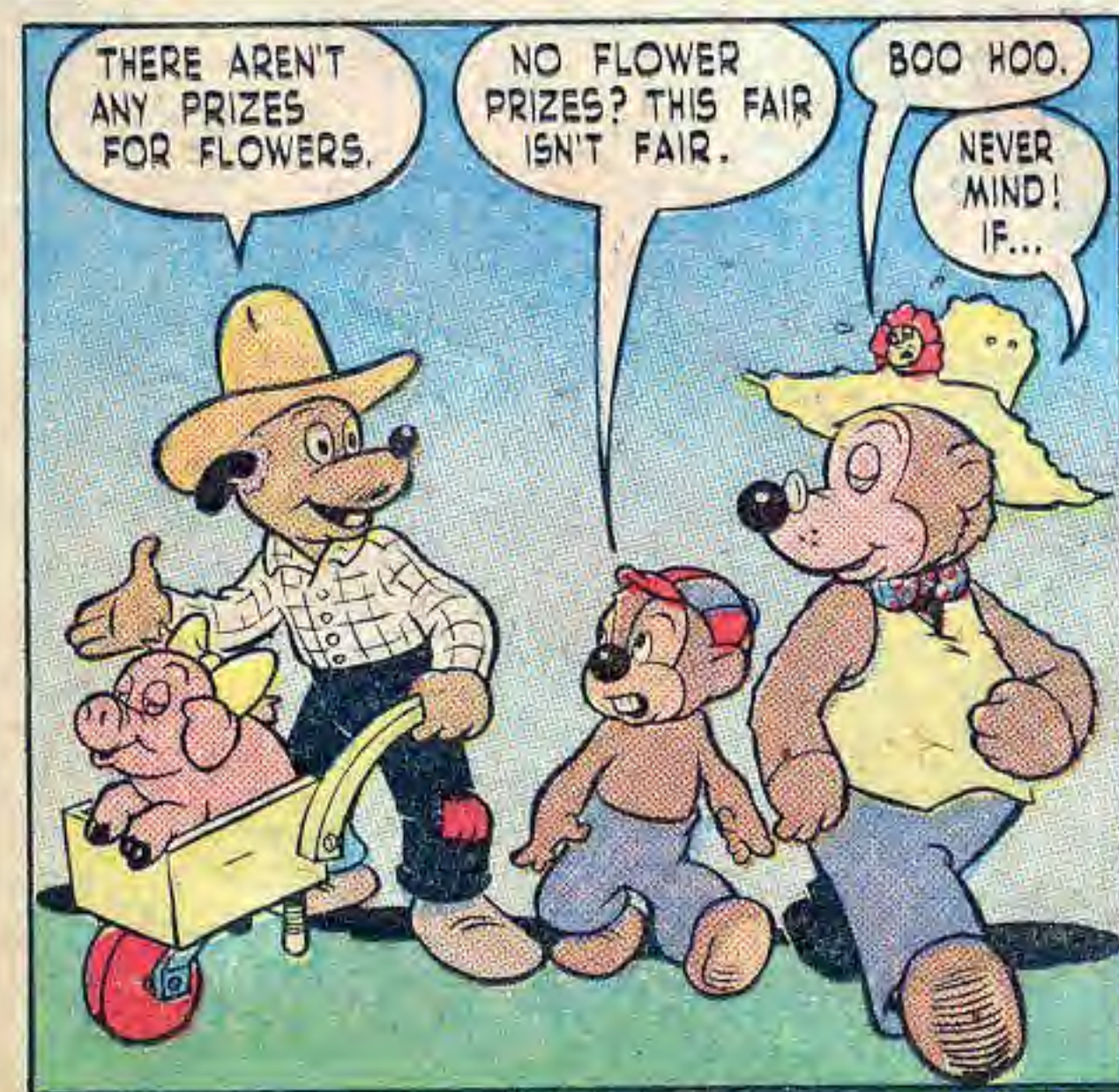
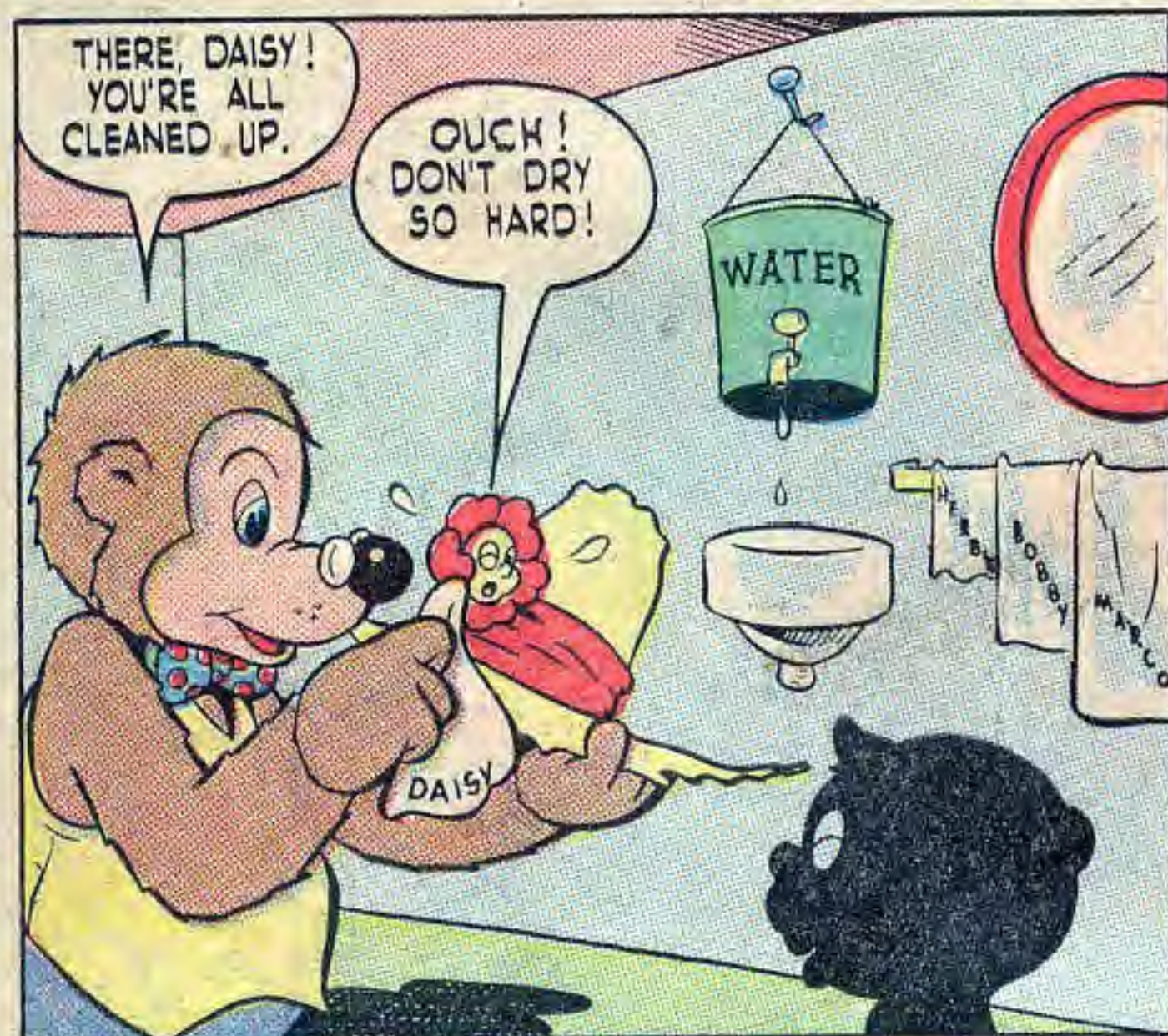
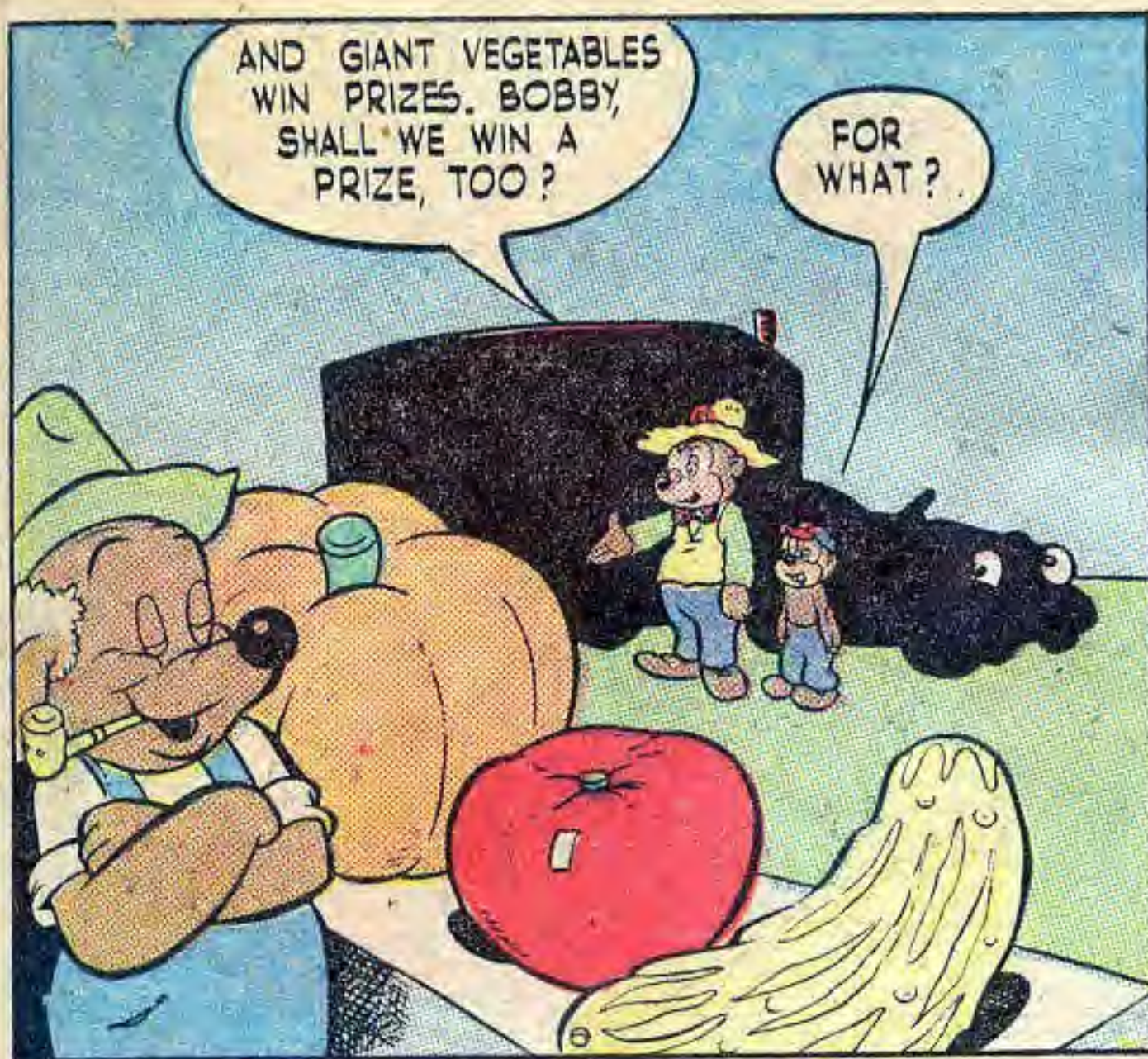


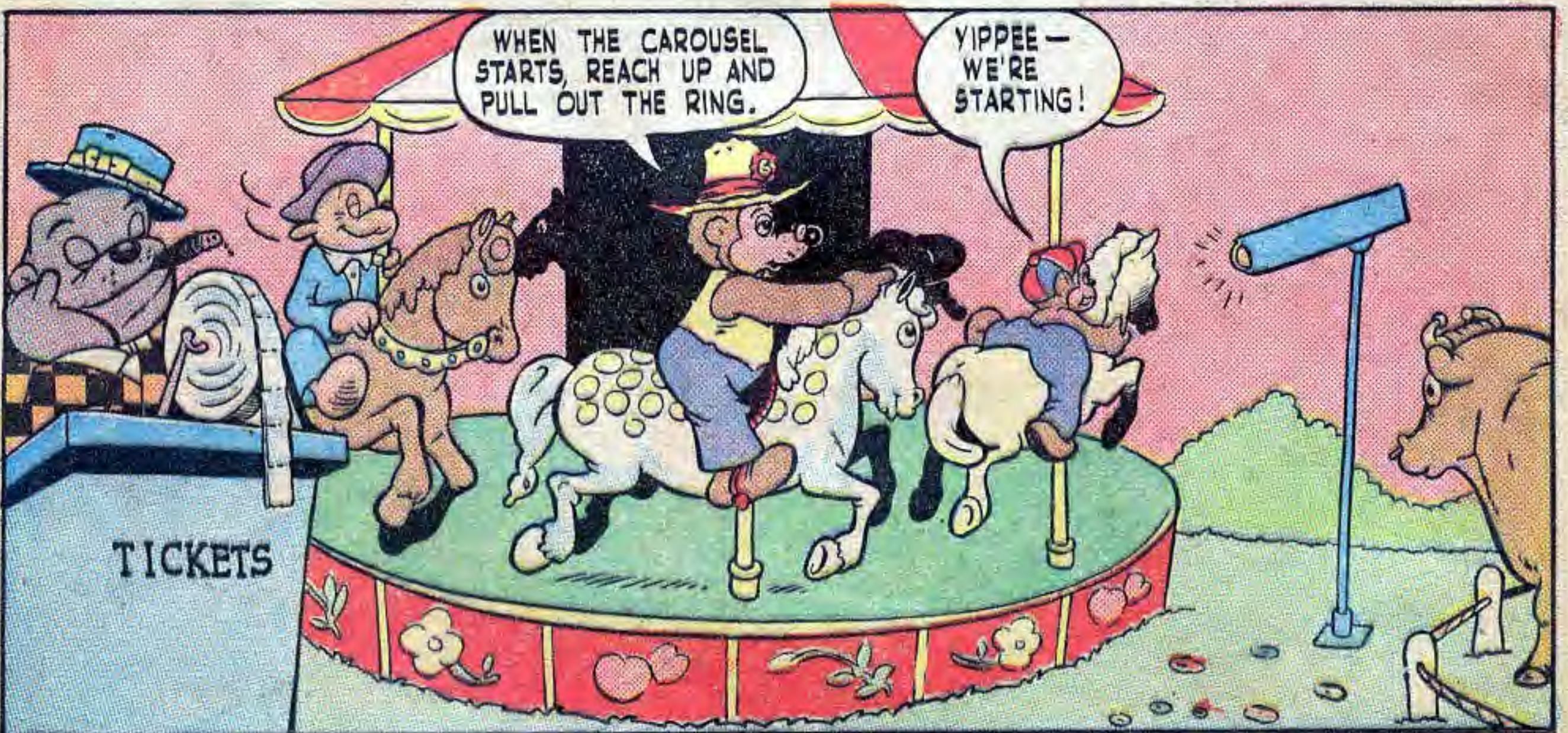
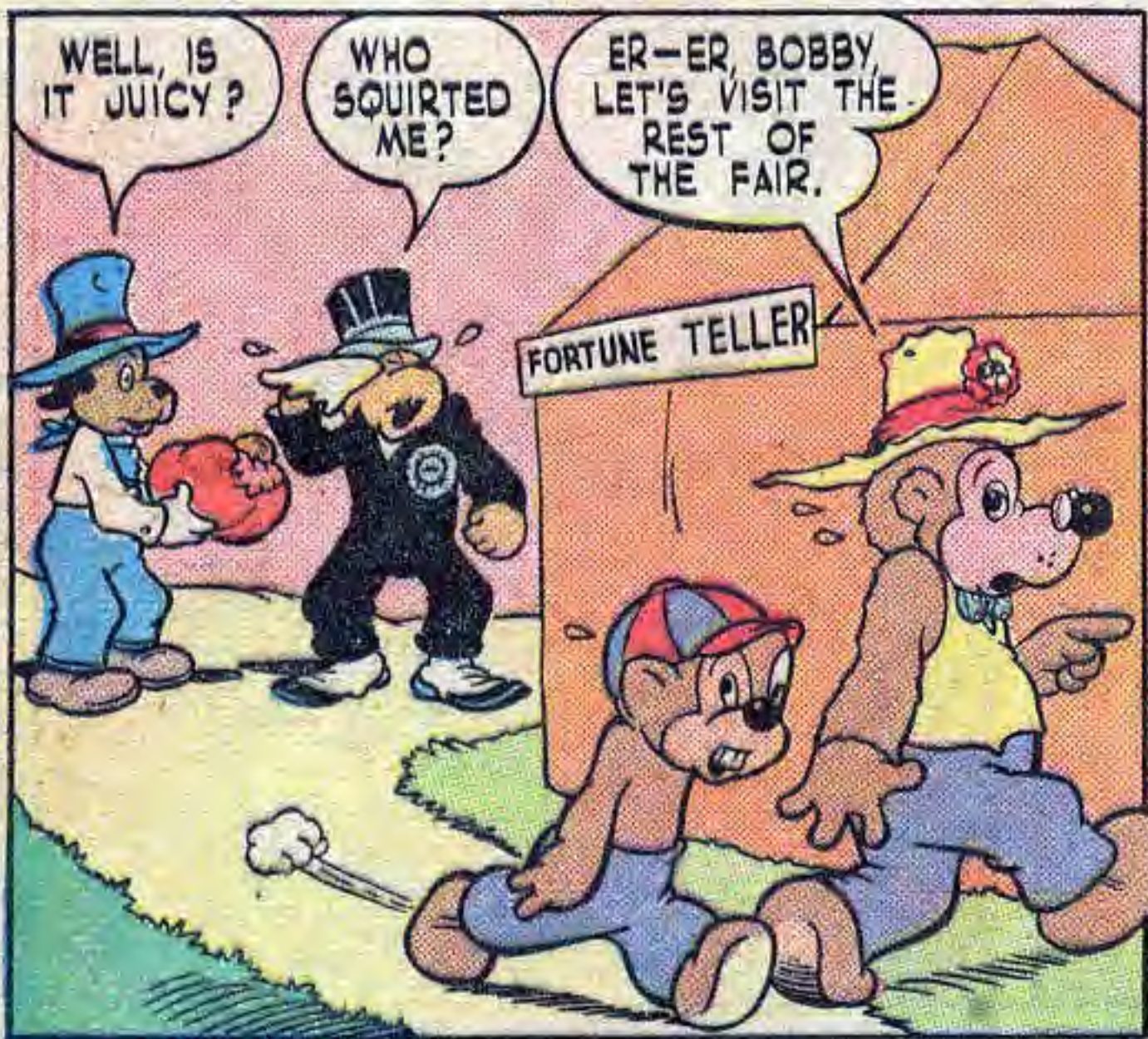
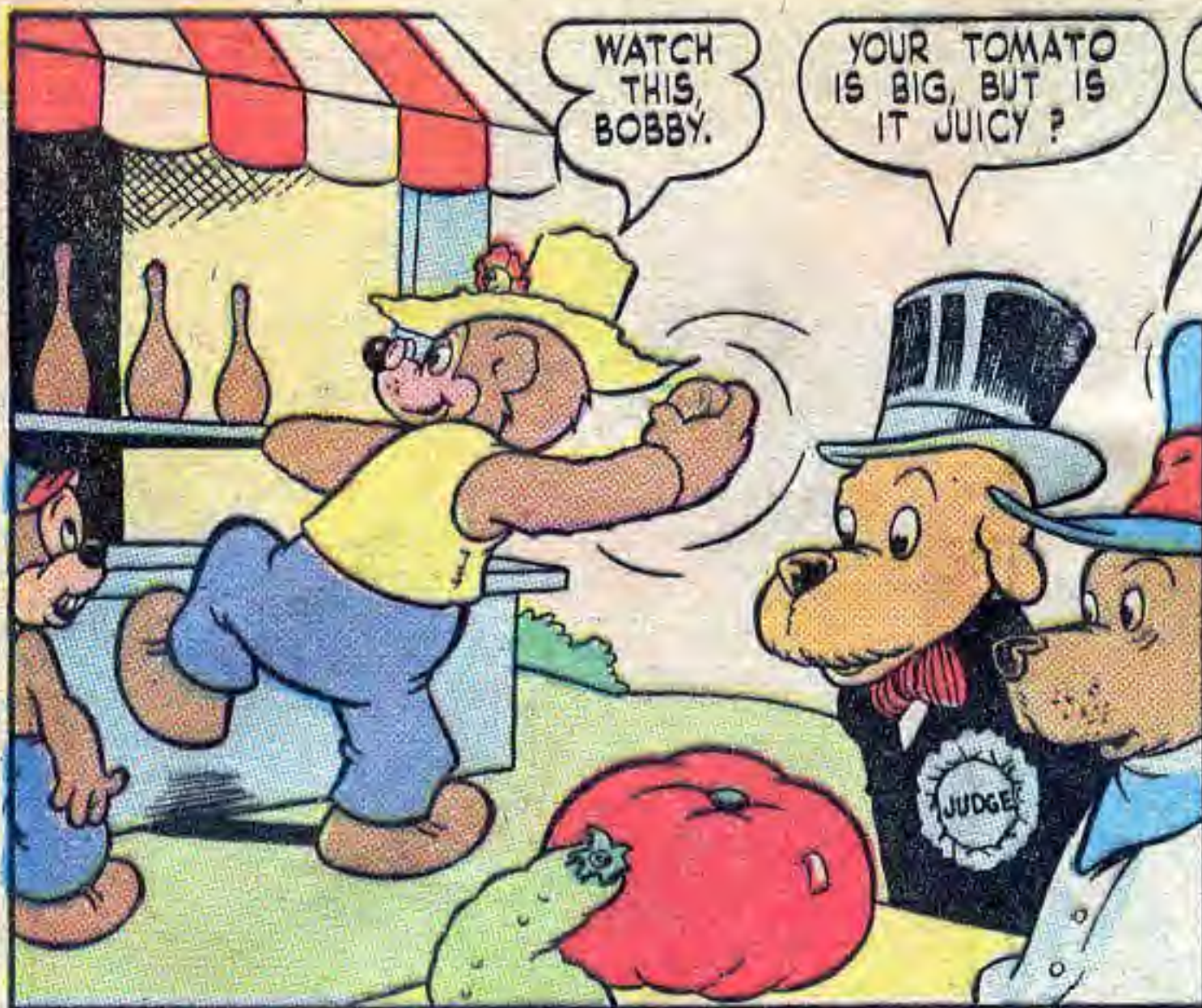
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WHAT WILL
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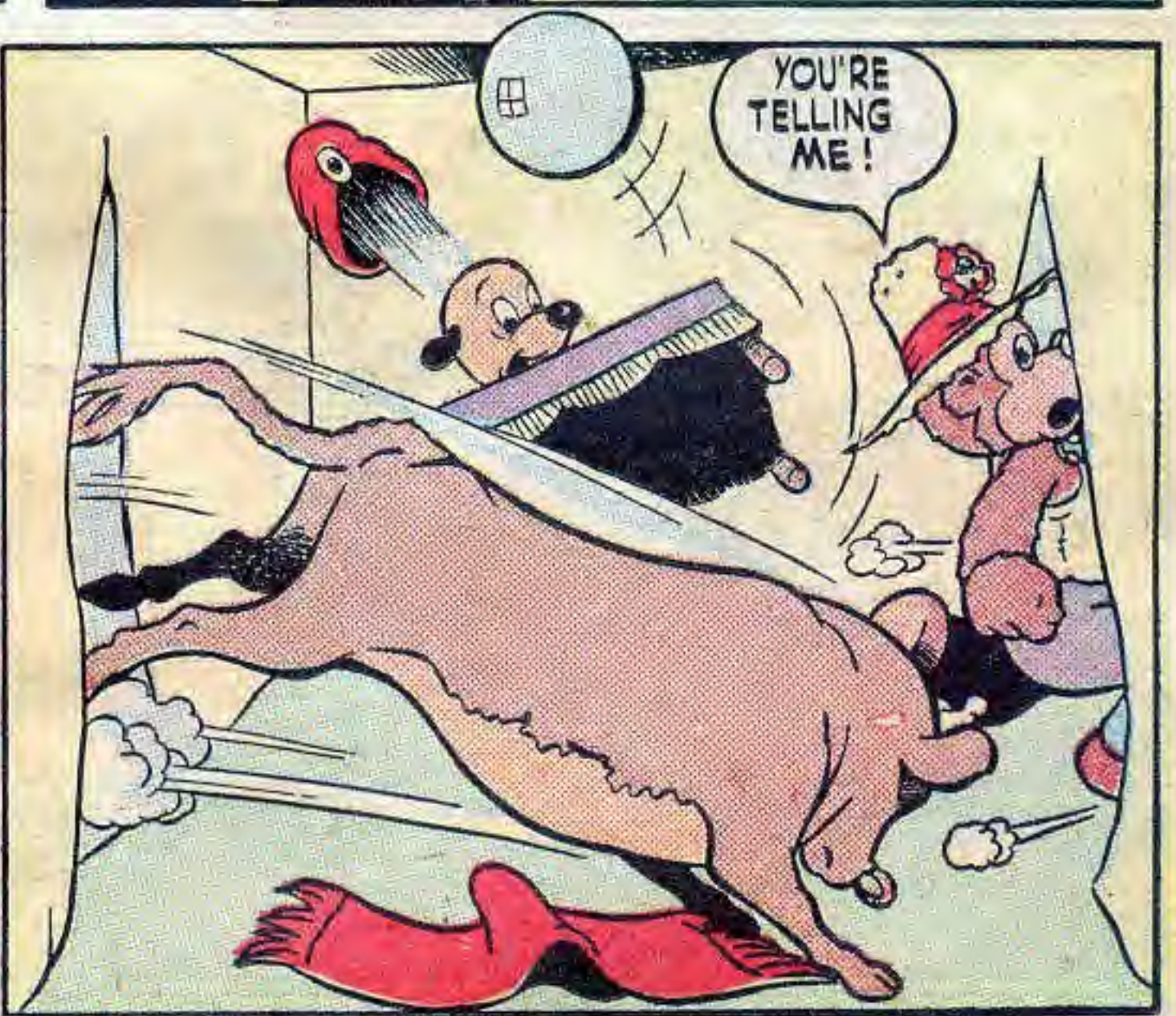
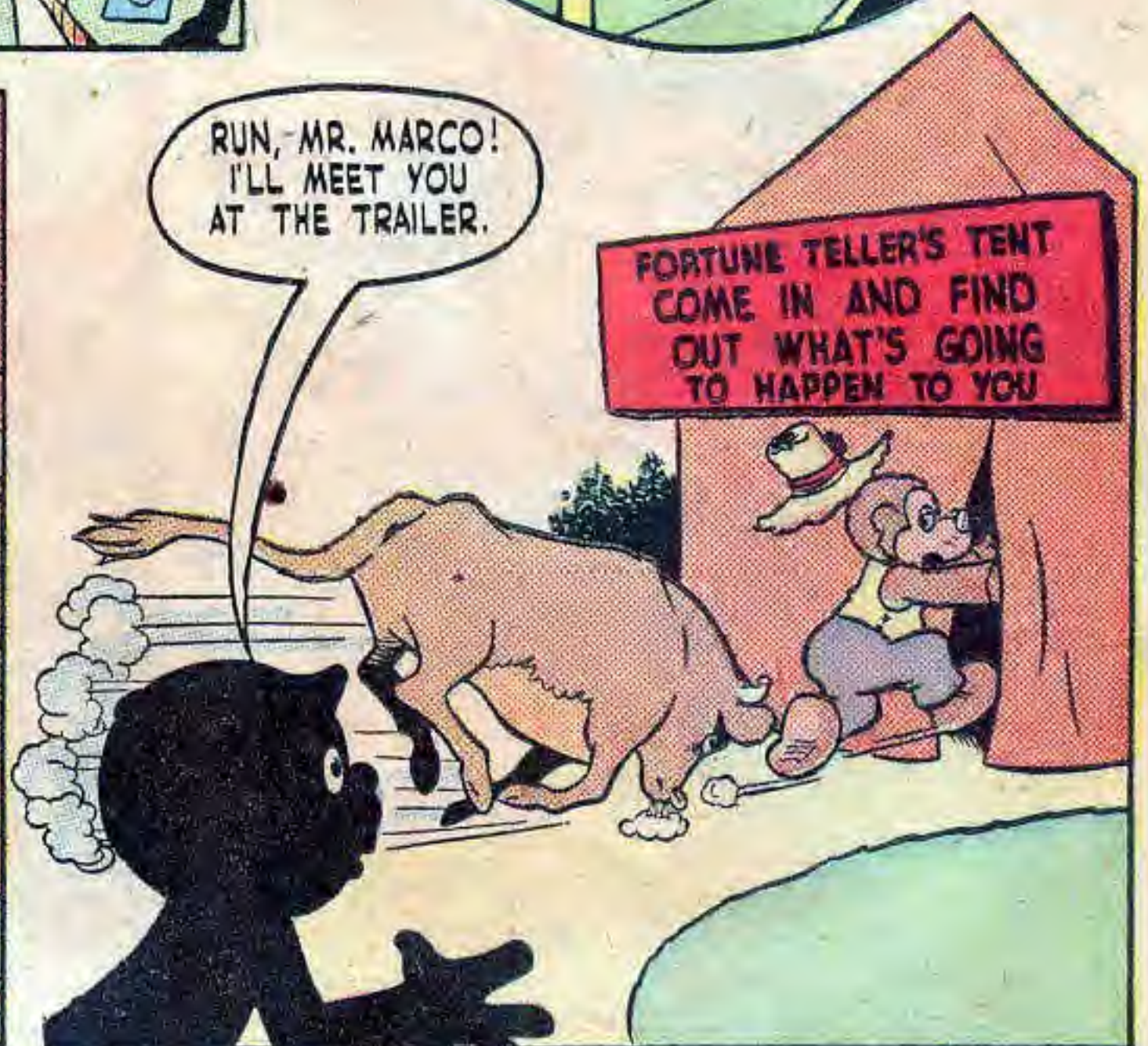
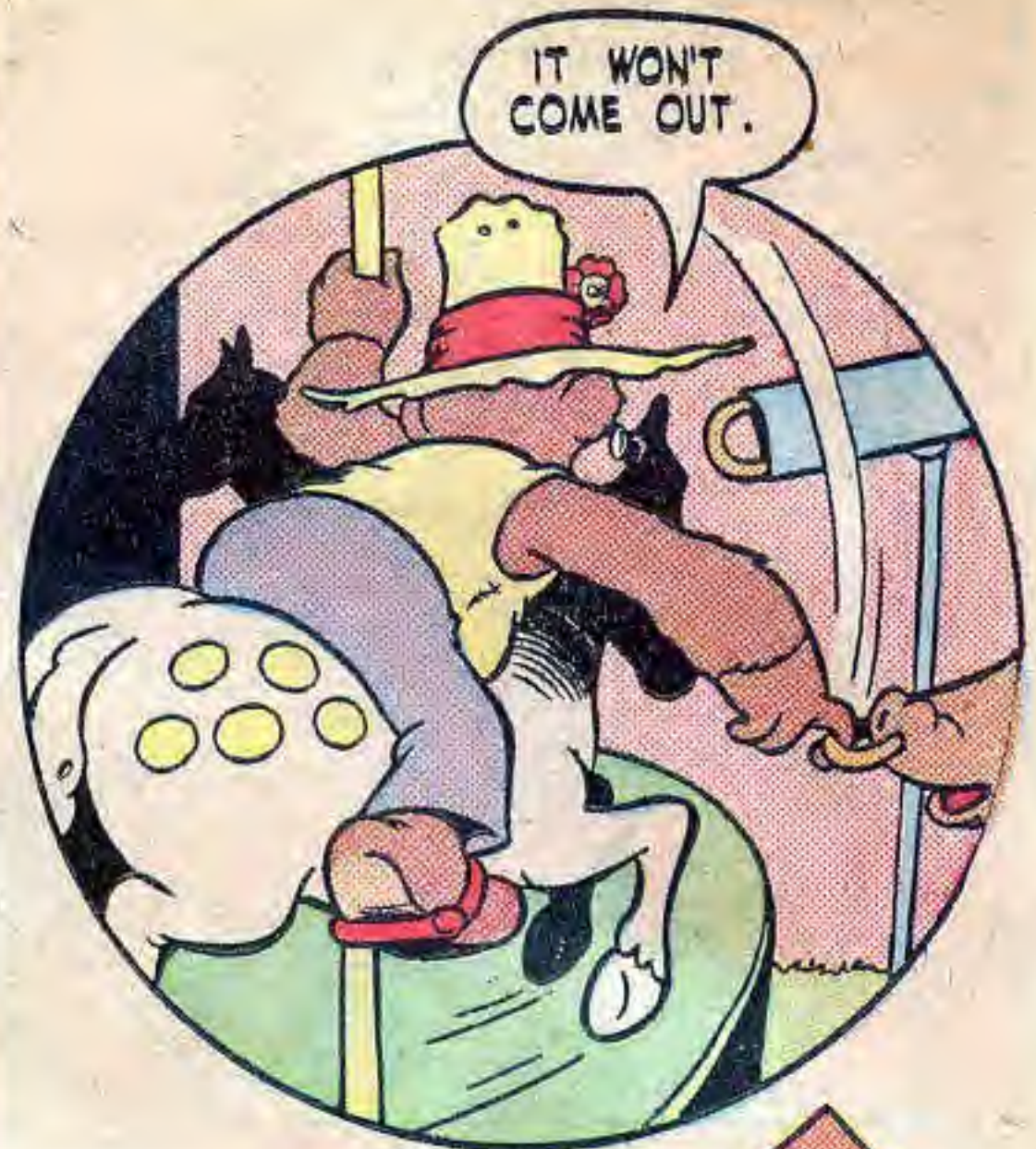
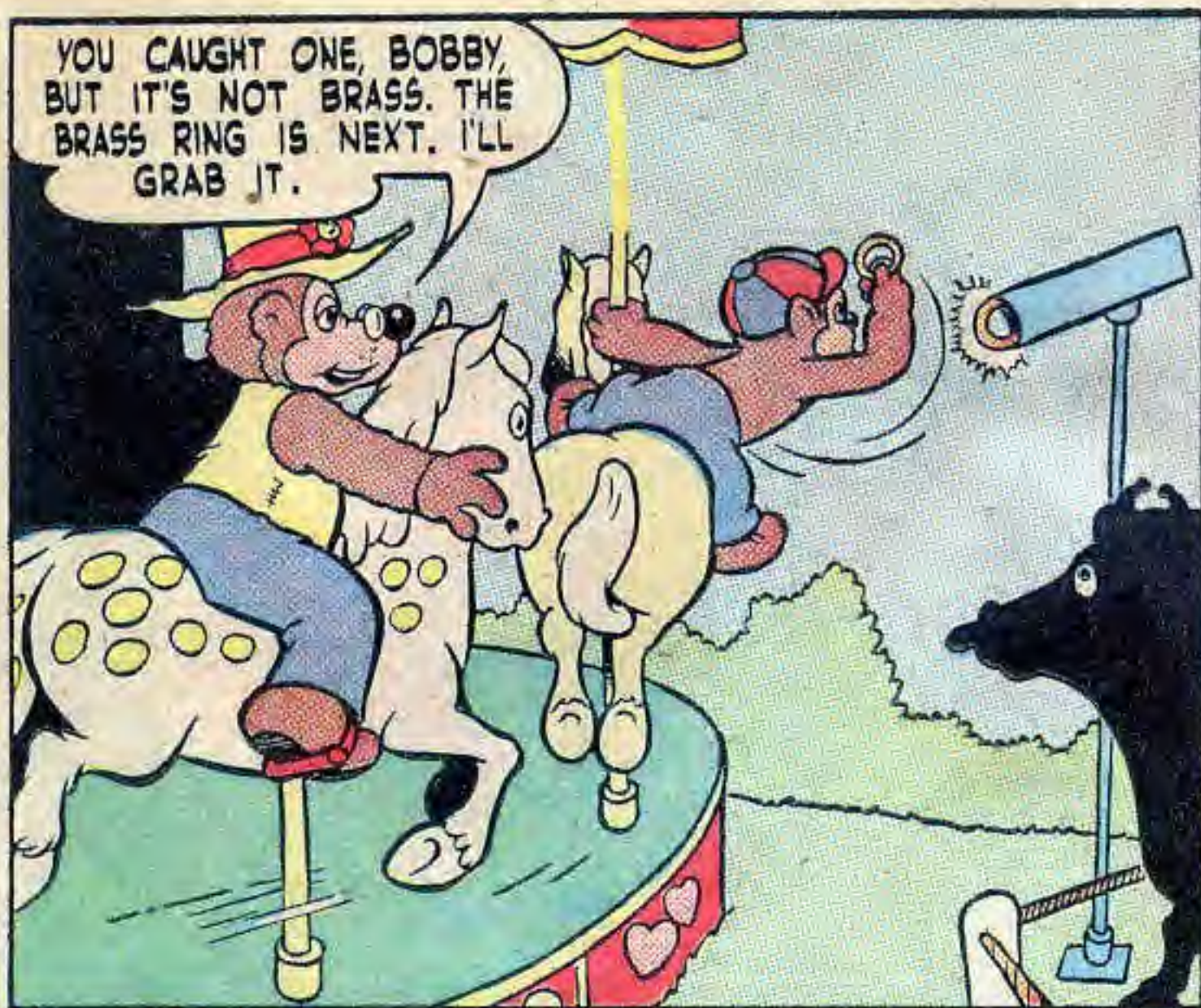
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MR. MARCO.
HERBIE.

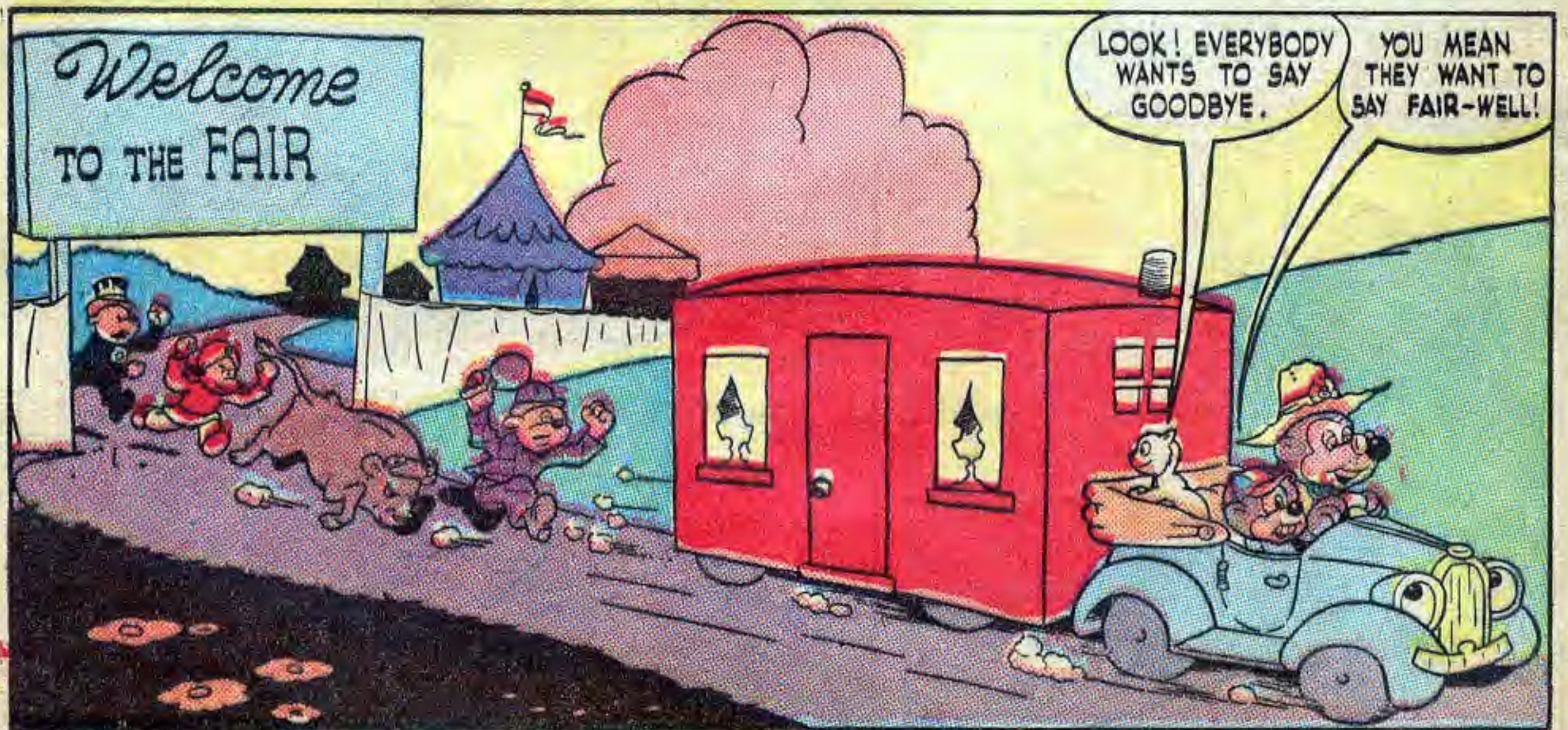
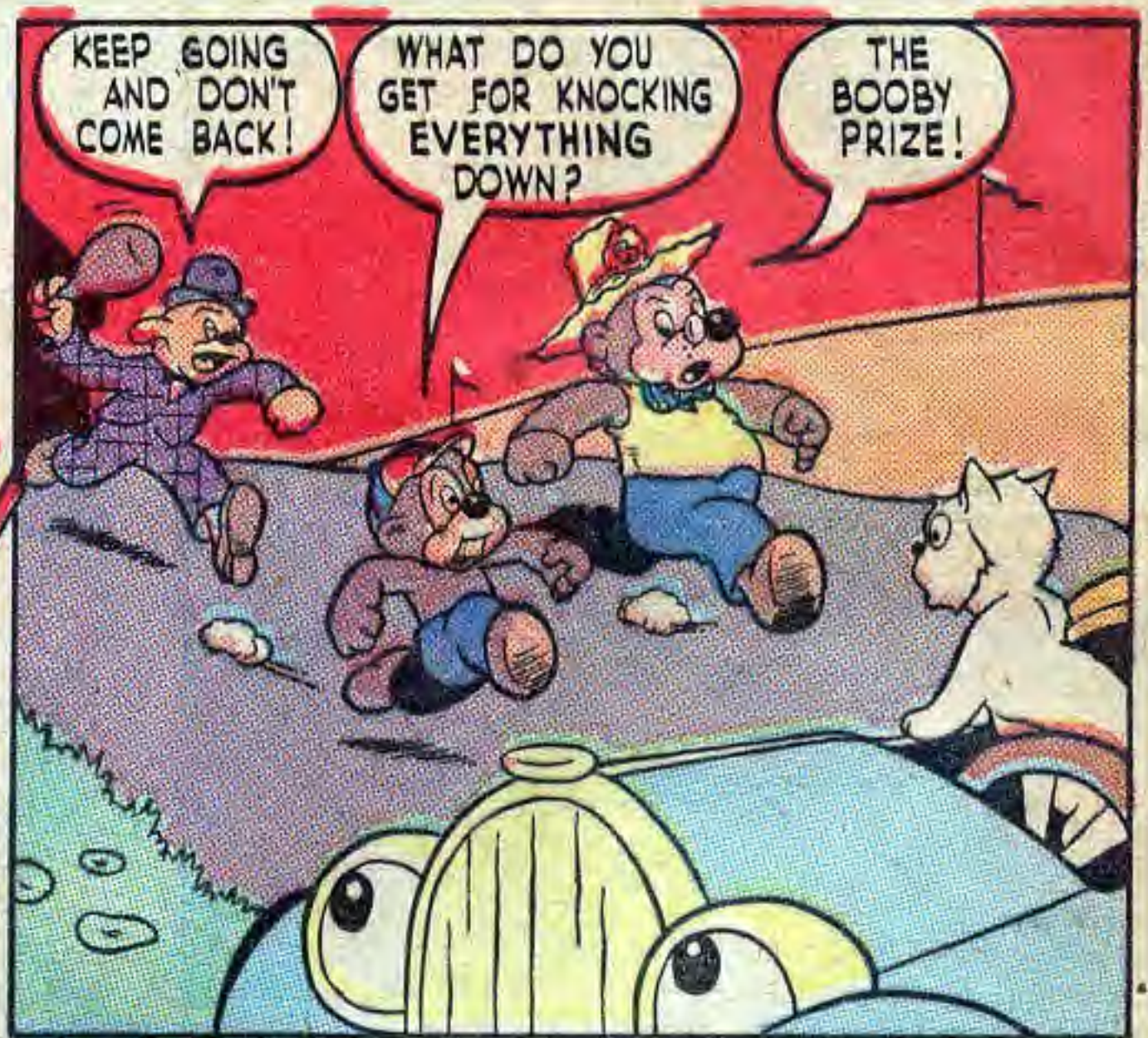
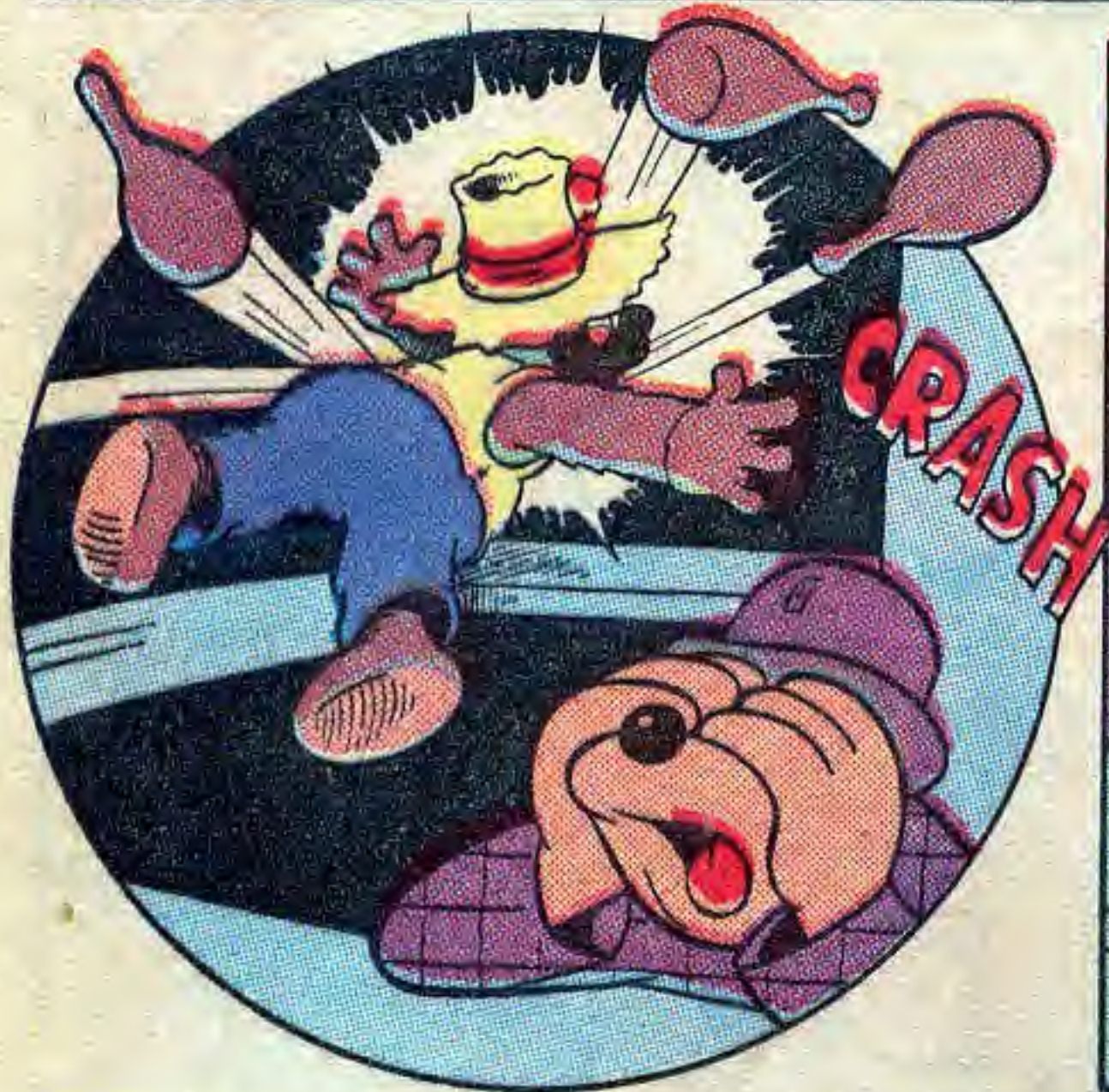
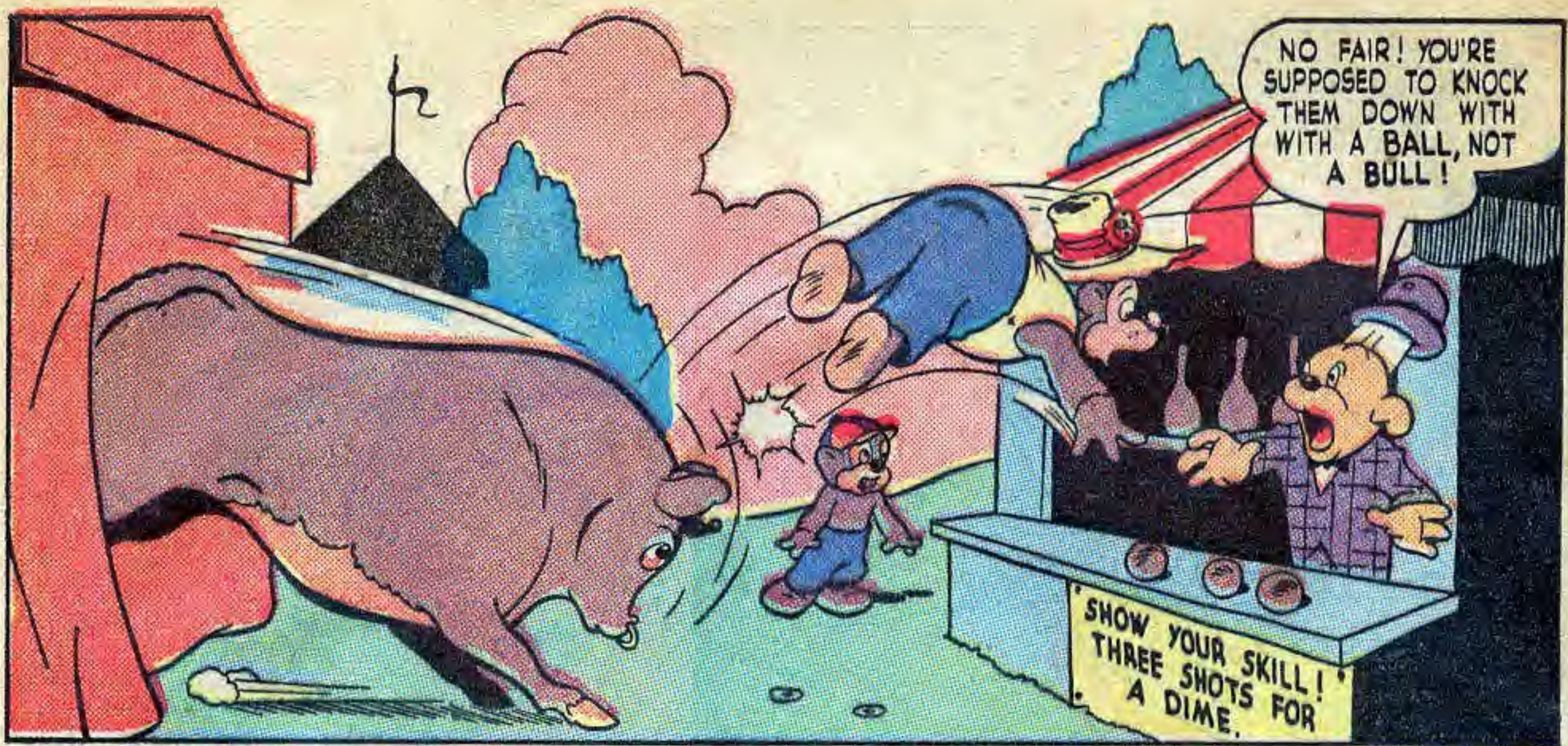
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THEY GIVE PRIZES FOR
THE BEST ANIMALS.
MAYBE THAT'S THE
FATTEST PIG OR
THE BIGGEST BULL.



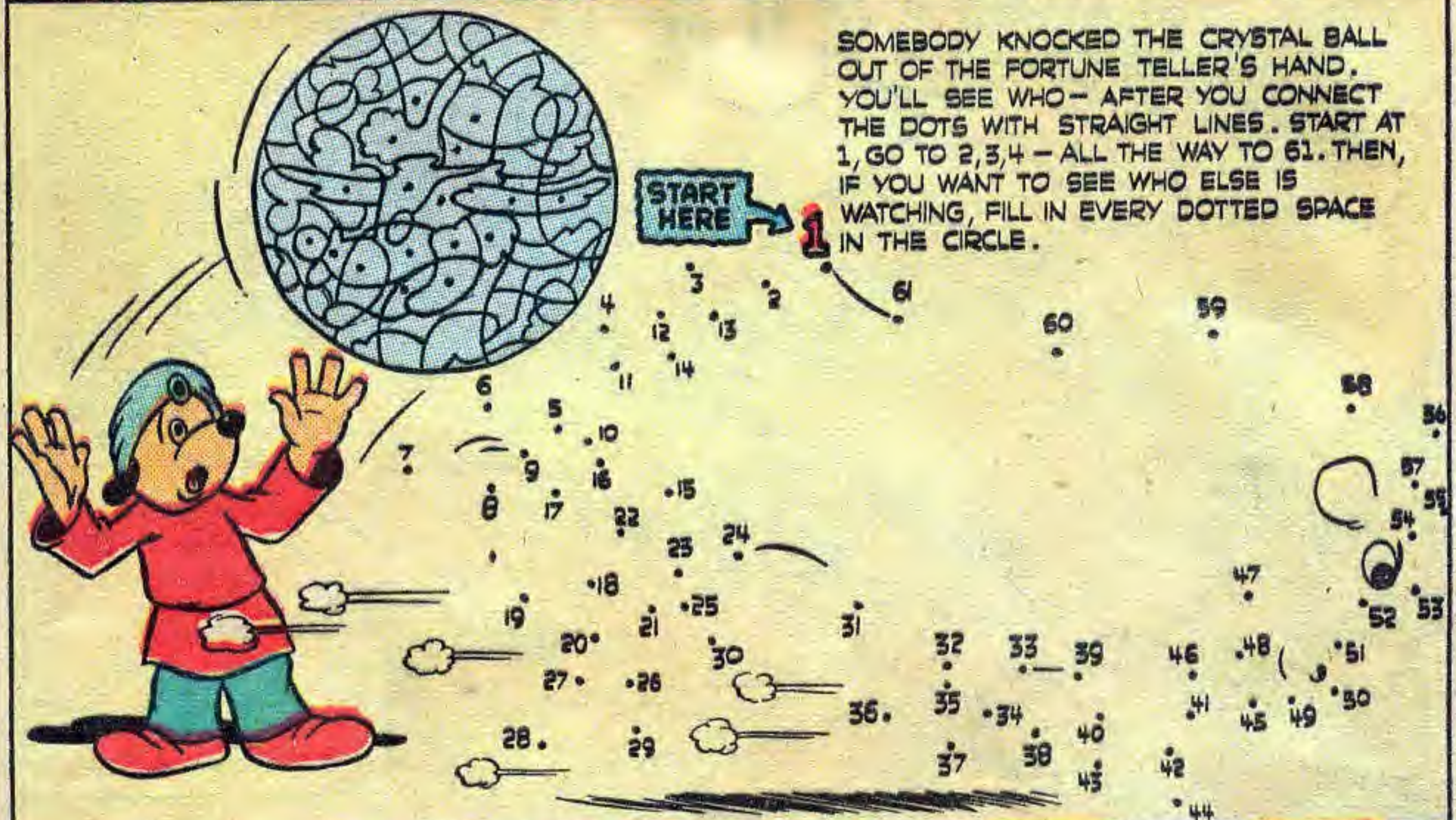




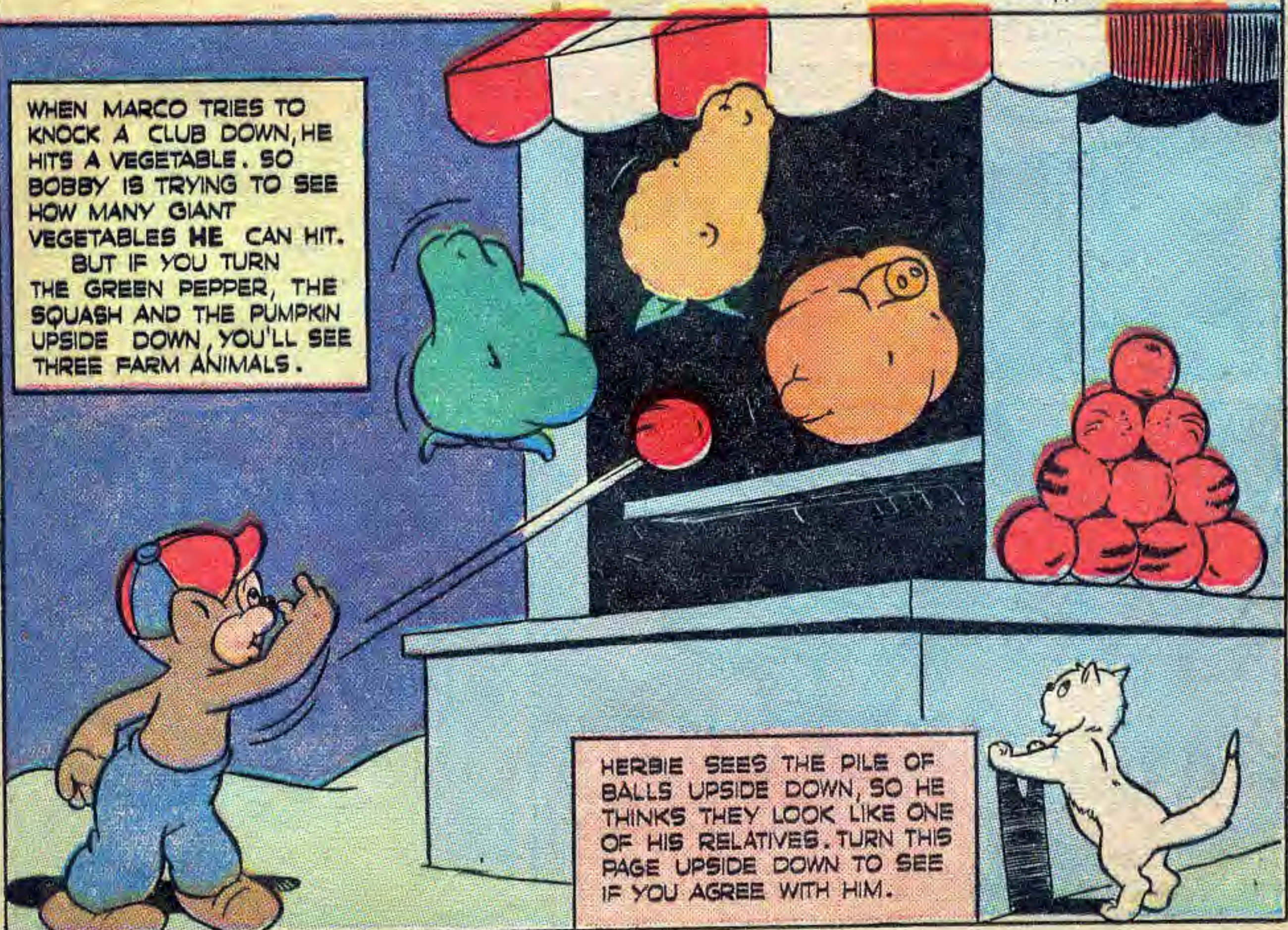


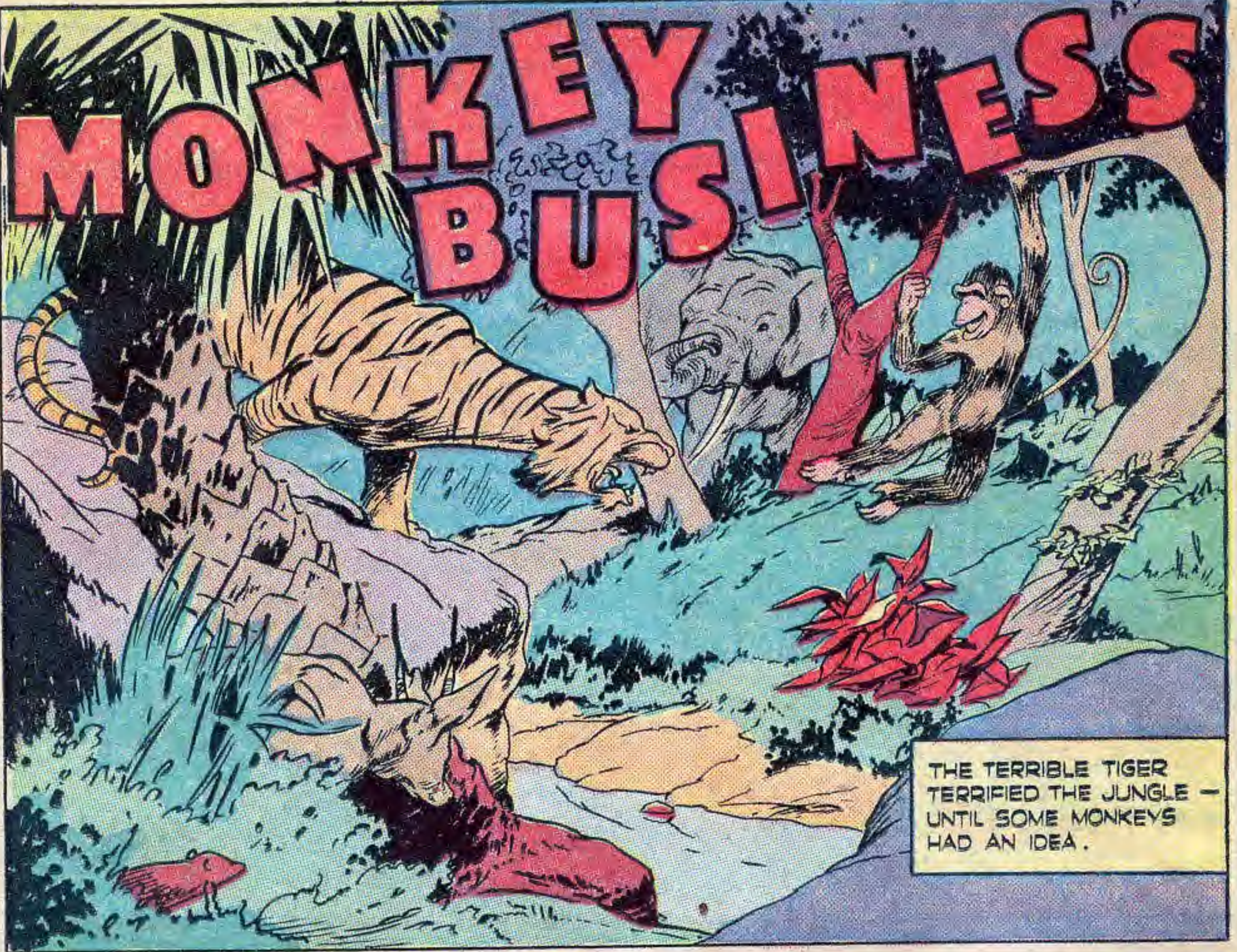


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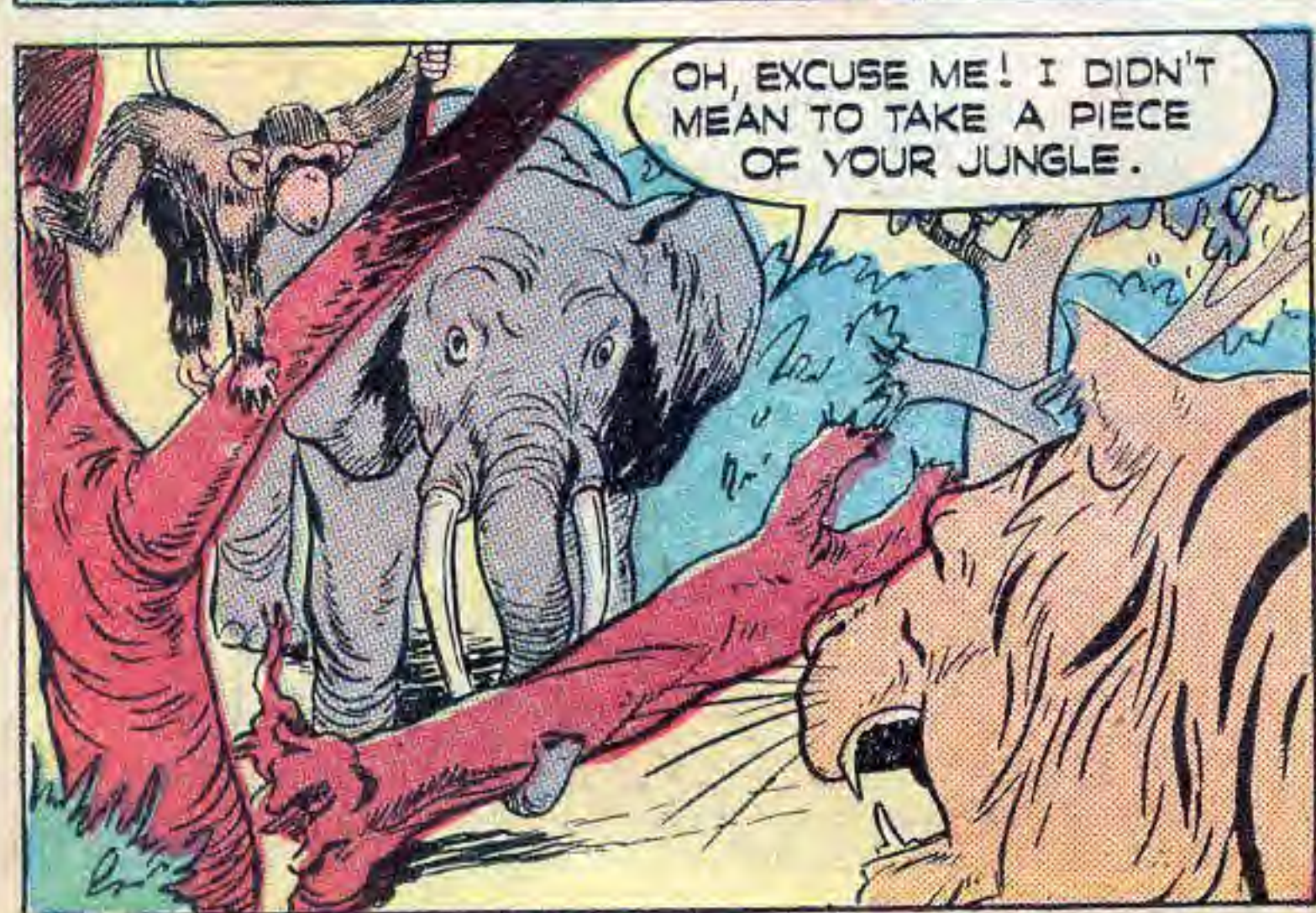
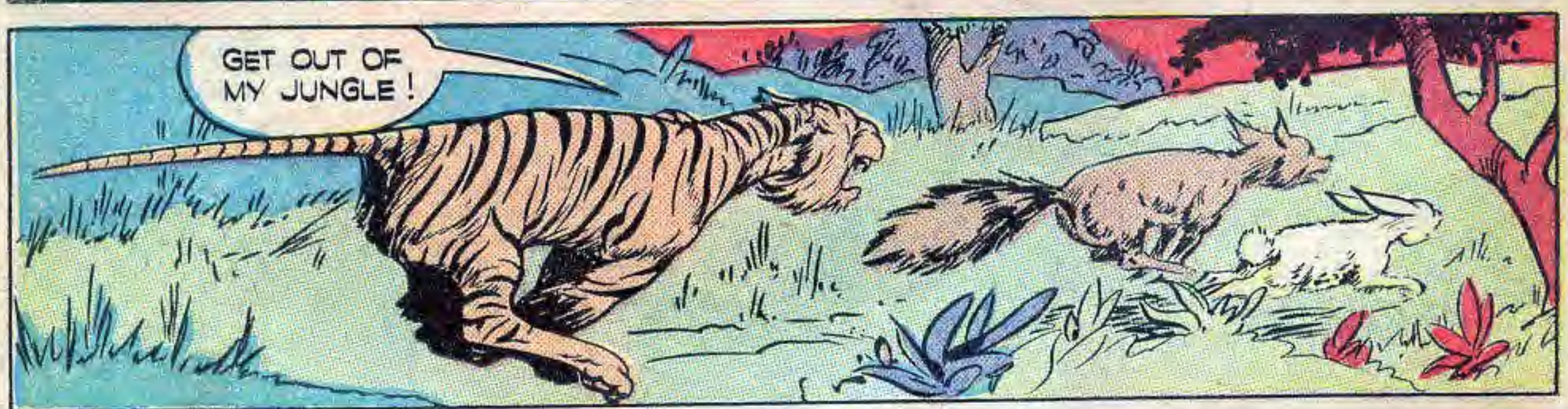


WHEN MARCO TRIES TO KNOCK A CLUB DOWN, HE HITS A VEGETABLE. SO BOBBY IS TRYING TO SEE HOW MANY GIANT VEGETABLES HE CAN HIT. BUT IF YOU TURN THE GREEN PEPPER, THE SQUASH AND THE PUMPKIN UPSIDE DOWN, YOU'LL SEE THREE FARM ANIMALS.





THE TERRIBLE TIGER
TERRIFIED THE JUNGLE —
UNTIL SOME MONKEYS
HAD AN IDEA.



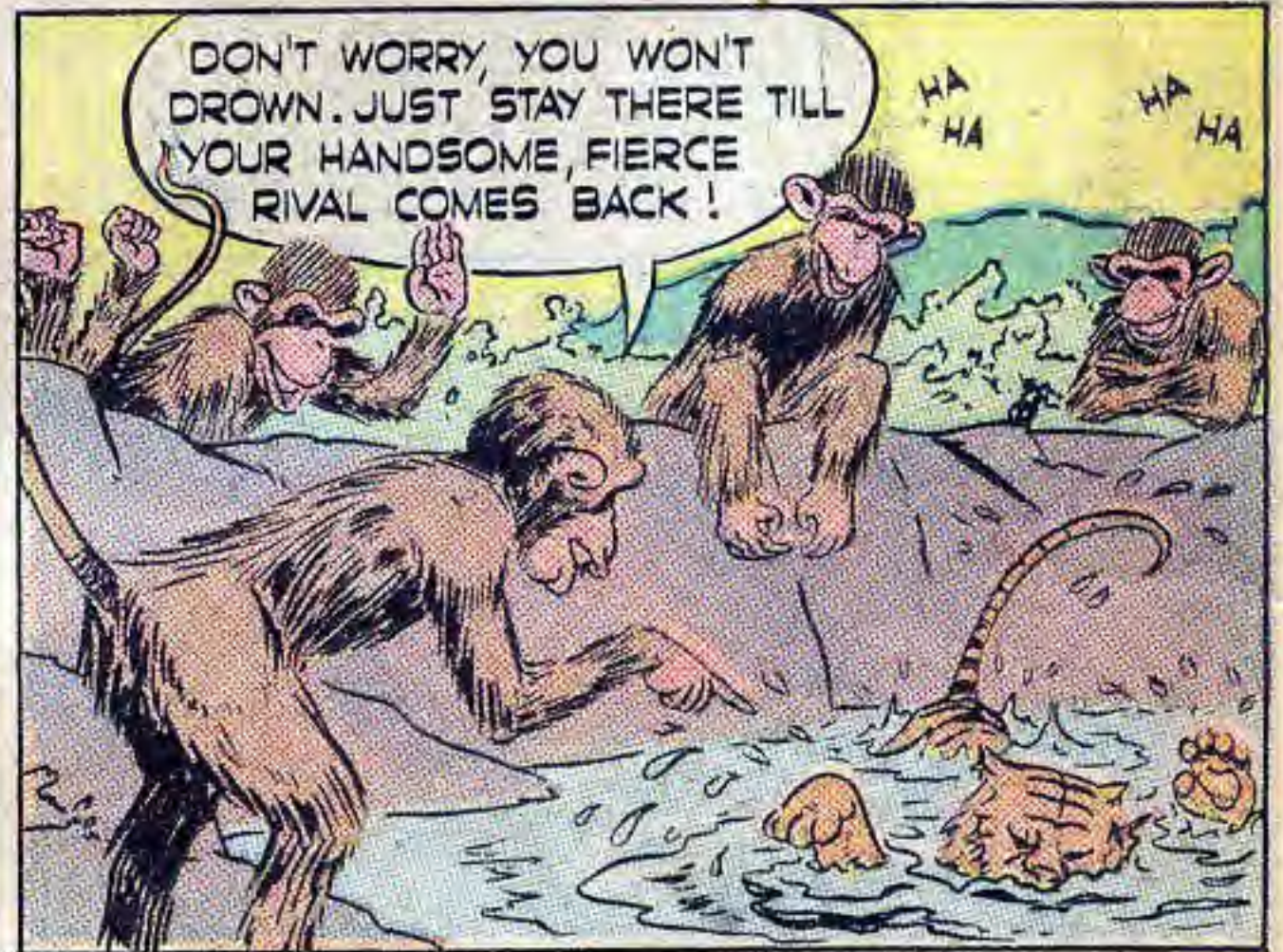


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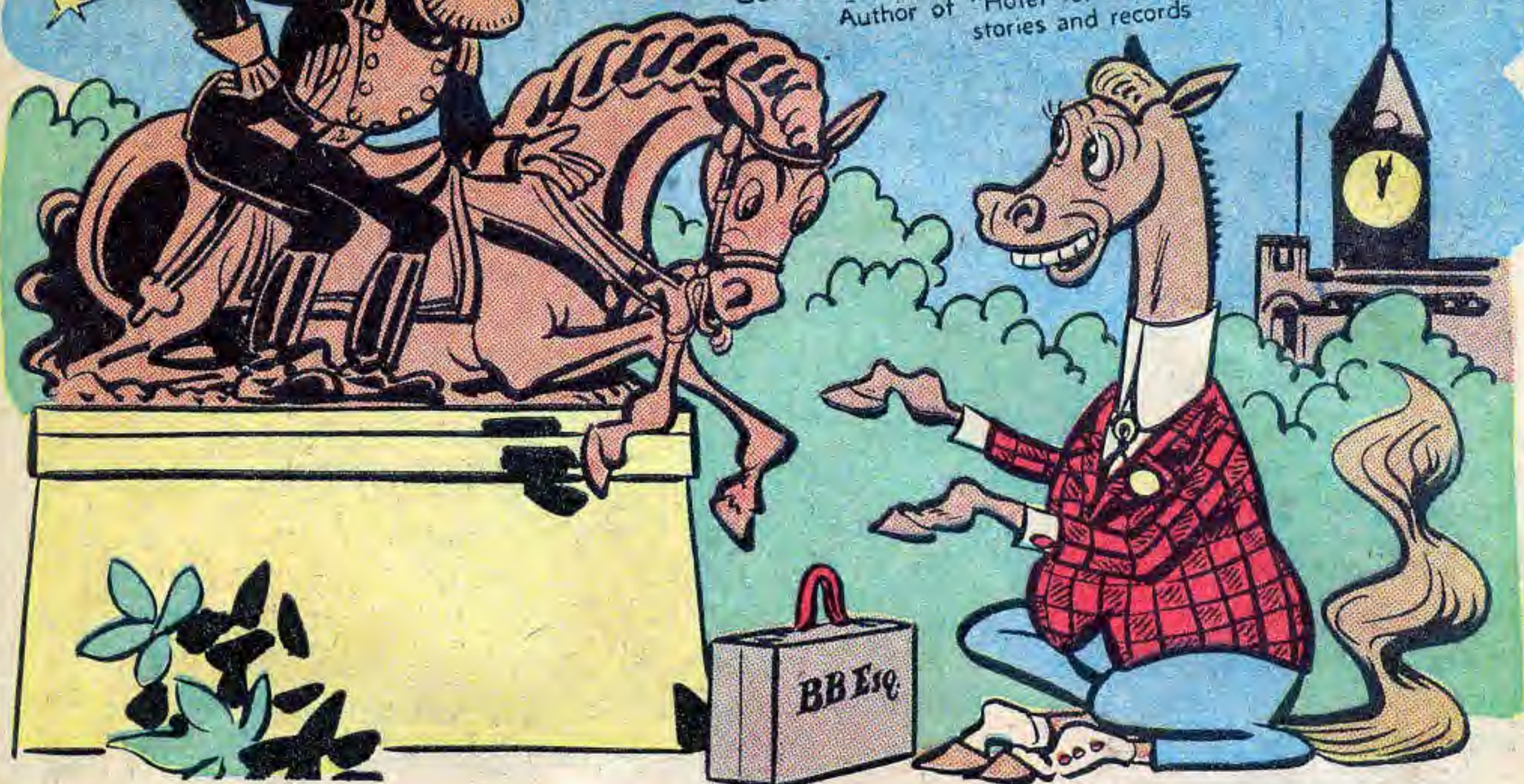
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Condensed from the story by BETH BROWN
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"What's a horse?" asked all the people in New York City when Butter Ball arrived in town. But the bronze horse and general knew right away

ONCE upon a time, a hundred years from now, there was a little horse called Butter Ball.

He was chubby and brown, with a tail a yard long, and bangs in front cut in the latest fashion. He lived in a big green pasture. Every day Butter Ball ran to the edge of the meadow to watch the train to New York City go by.

One day Butter Ball had a wonderful idea! "I'm going to get on the next train to New York," he told himself, and ran all the way home. He packed his toothbrush and pajamas in a black suitcase.

When the night became as dark as chocolate layer cake, he ran to the railroad station and waited for the train.

It was a long, long ride, but he finally got there. "So this is New York," exclaimed Butter Ball, looking around the

station at all the people in the crowd.

Everybody stared at him. "I wonder what it is," everybody asked everybody else. All at once, an old, old man with a white beard and two pairs of glasses on his nose came over. He looked at Butter Ball out of both pairs of glasses at the same time, and then he said, "Why, that's a horse!"

"We've never seen a horse except in picture books!" everybody answered.

Butter Ball thought this was very strange. But when he walked out into the street, sure enough — there were no horses! Only automobiles and airplanes and people riding on winged roller skates!

Someone sent for a Blue Policeman on skates, and the Blue Policeman sent someone else to get the Mayor. The Mayor took one amazed look at Butter Ball. "Who in the world are you?"

"I'm Butter Ball!" Butter Ball informed him politely. "I came to New York on the train. I'd like to see the city."

"I'll be pleased to take you to lunch and show you the city," said the Mayor. "Please come this way."

The Mayor ordered soup, meat and potatoes, deep-dish peach pie and milk for two. But Butter Ball called the waiter back. "May I please have oats?"

"Why certainly, sir," said the waiter and yelled, "OATS!"

The kitchen door opened, the cook stuck out his head and yelled, "NO OATS!"

"We have no oats!" repeated the waiter.

"Thank you," said Butter Ball, sitting quietly, while the Mayor ate and ate.

"This is a great town," the Mayor told Butter Ball. "Have you ever seen the zoo?"

"No," answered Butter Ball, "but I'd like to go."

The Mayor was delighted because he meant to take Butter Ball to the zoo and leave him there!

Right after lunch they went to the zoo in a taxicab. The Mayor whispered something to the head zoo keeper and the head zoo keeper whispered back. Butter Ball soon learned what they were whispering about, for he found himself behind a tall iron fence.

Children came and peeped through the bars. Grownups came and stared. The head keeper brought plenty of oats, but Butter Ball was unhappy. He wanted to get out.

That night, when all the animals were fast asleep, he packed up his toothbrush and pajamas. Then he jumped over the high iron fence into the street.

He ran and ran till he came to a horse standing in the middle of a road. The horse was made of bronze although Butter Ball didn't know it. A bronze general was sitting on him.

"Hello!" said Butter Ball, but the bronze horse didn't answer.

So Butter Ball sat down and looked up at the sky until one minute to midnight.

He was just about to leave when the

bronze horse began to speak. "Bronze horses can't talk until midnight, and bronze men never get off bronze horses till it's one minute past midnight."

"Is that so?" asked Butter Ball.

"Where did you come from?" asked the bronze horse. "I haven't seen a real horse for over fifty years. There are none left in the city."

"Then I've made this a one-horse town!" laughed Butter Ball. "Imagine making a one-horse town out of New York City!"

At one minute past midnight, the bronze general climbed off the bronze horse and stretched his arms and legs.

"But, really," Butter Ball continued, "I don't want to remain in New York City. I'd like to go home."

"We'll help you," said the bronze general as he reached into his back pocket for a three-yard-long timetable. He kept one yard of it for himself, and handed one yard to Butter Ball and the other yard to the bronze horse. The bronze horse found the right train. "There's one at two o'clock."

The general consulted his pocket watch. "You have plenty of time to catch that train at Grand Central Station."

"I don't know how to get to Grand Central Station," replied Butter Ball.

"We will take you," said the general. "I'll ride you to the station."

The general and Butter Ball and the bronze horse galloped along Broadway. When they came to Grand Central, the general bought Butter Ball's ticket.

They waited in the waiting room till train time. Then they all shook hands and went to the gate.

"ALL ABOARD!" cried the conductor.

Butter Ball and the bronze horse and the bronze general all shook hands again and said goodbye. Then Butter Ball went into the train and the train left.

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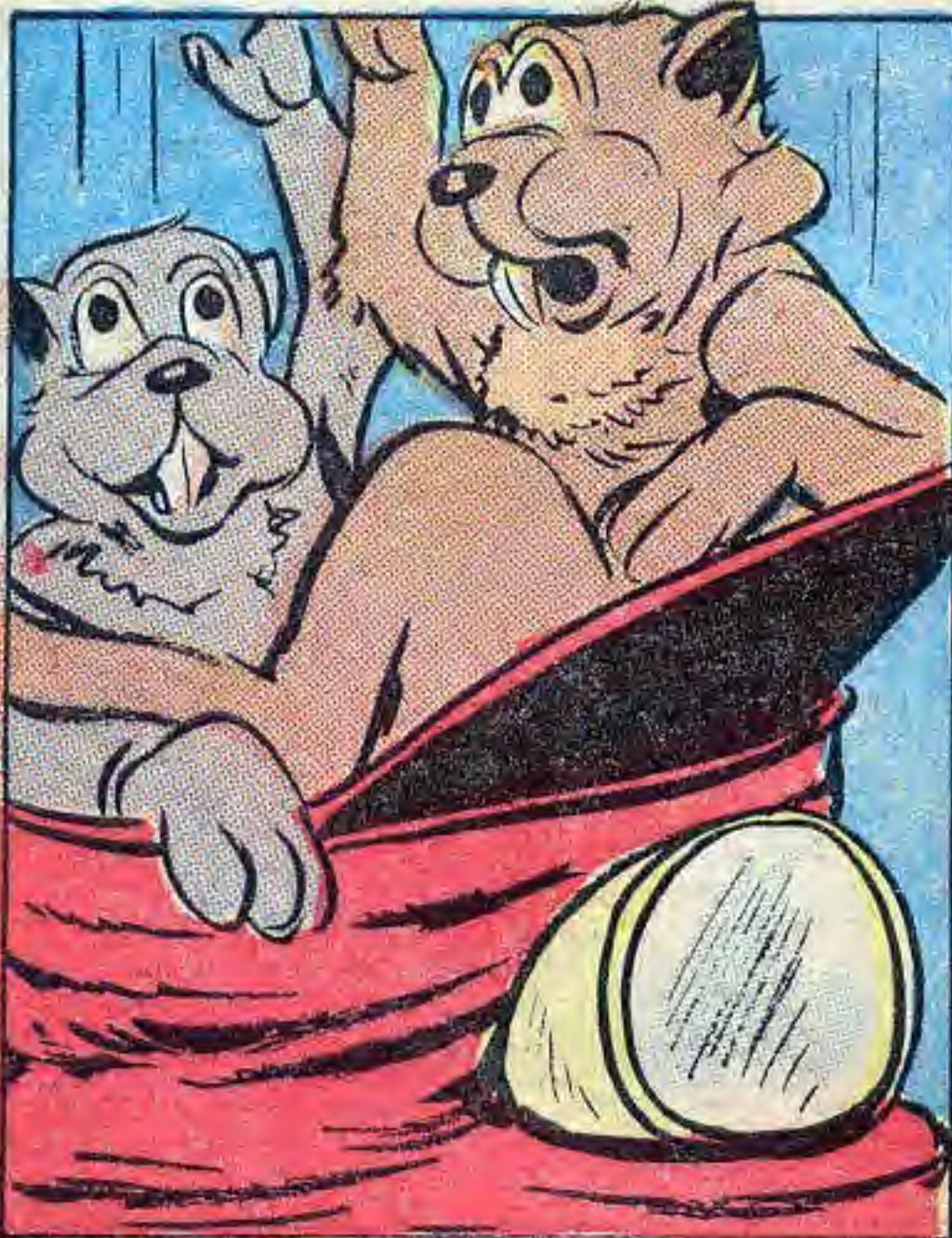
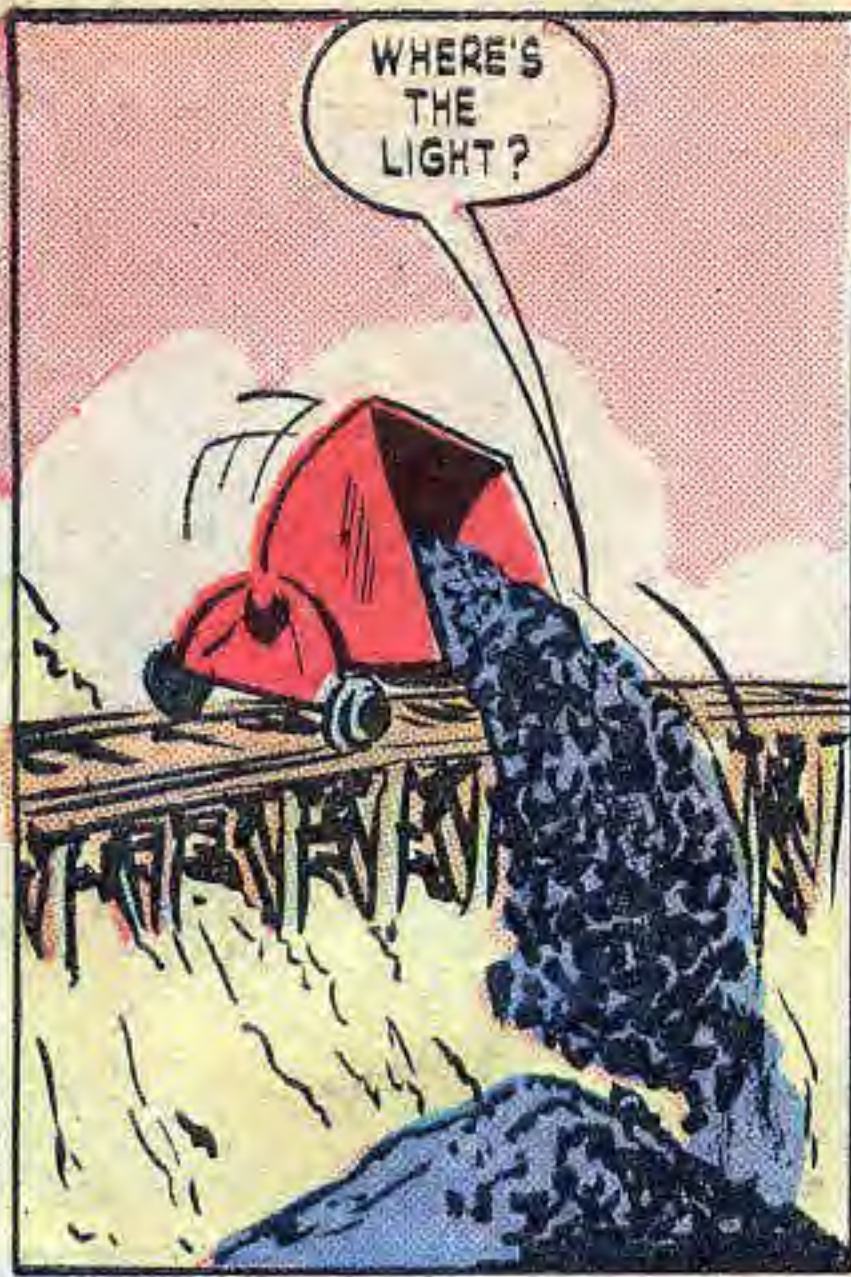




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